

Managing Users and Groups in Windows 10 Using Command Prompt

1. Creating a New User

To create a new user account in Windows 10 using the Command Prompt, use the `net user` command.

Command:

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net user <username> <password> /add
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Example:

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net user JohnDoe Password123 /add
```

Explanation:

- `net user` → The command to manage users.
- `JohnDoe` → The username of the new account.
- `Password123` → The password for the account.
- `/add` → Adds a new user to the system.

2. Creating a New User Without a Password

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net user JohnDoe /add
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This command creates a user without assigning a password.

3. Adding User to a Group

Users are assigned to groups for permission and access control. The `net localgroup` command allows adding a user to a group.

Command:

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net localgroup <groupname> <username> /add
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net localgroup Administrators JohnDoe /add
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Explanation:

- `net localgroup` → Manages local groups.
- `Administrators` → The group name.
- `JohnDoe` → The user being added.
- `/add` → Adds the user to the specified group.

4. Listing Users

To see all the users on the system:

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net user
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This command displays all local user accounts.

5. Viewing User Details

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net user JohnDoe
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This command displays details of the user JohnDoe.

6. Changing a User's Password

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net user JohnDoe NewPassword123
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This changes the password for JohnDoe.

7. Deleting a User

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net user JohnDoe /delete
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This command removes the user JohnDoe from the system.

8. Creating a New Group

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net localgroup ITTeam /add
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This command creates a new group named "ITTeam."

9. Adding a User to a Group

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net localgroup ITTeam JohnDoe /add
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Adds the user JohnDoe to the ITTeam group.

10. Removing a User from a Group

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net localgroup ITTeam JohnDoe /delete
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Removes JohnDoe from the ITTeam group.

11. Deleting a Group

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net localgroup ITTeam /delete
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Deletes the group ITTeam.