

Active Directory Security: Cleaning up your Active Directory

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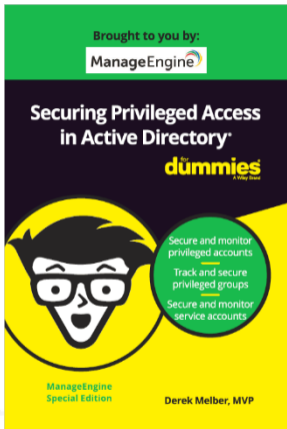
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Agenda

- User accounts
- Groups
- Active Directory delegation

Cleaning user accounts



Cleaning user accounts

- Users that have never logged in
- Users with non-expiring passwords
- Users that have not logged in recently
- Users that have not changed passwords recently
- Locked out users

Cleaning up groups



Cleaning up groups

- Local groups
- AD groups
 - Privileged groups
 - Ensure recursive reporting

Cleaning up Active Directory Delegation



Cleaning up Active Directory delegation

- AD delegation
 - Nothing but ACLs
 - Usually configured with the delegation wizard
 - Difficult to report
 - Difficult to remove
 - Difficult to know who has access
- Ideally use ADManager Plus delegation
 - Remove all custom delegations in AD
 - Use ADMP delegation

Summary

- User accounts
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- Active Directory delegation

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Thank you!

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