

Re: FedoraCore 6 smb /write acces problem

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Hi:

Don't know if you got it figured out already. But i thought, it could be a bit of help. I experienced the problem before; and it turned out to be SELinux restrictions. I fixed it by the GUI "System->Administration->Security Level and Firewall"; then check on these 2 boxes below:

- "Allow Samba to share users home directories"
- "Allow Samba to write files in directories labeled public_content_rw_t"

Khem

On Tue, 2007-02-06 at 17:35 +0000, Anne Wilson wrote:

On Tuesday 06 February 2007 16:39, Andrada Meda Felegean wrote:

Hello to All,

I have installed Fedora Core 6 (Zod) on a machine meant to sustain the WinMentor database for an internal network. I have configured smb.conf and tested it with testparm and everything went OK. [root@CIEmentor usr]# testparm

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Load smb config files from /etc/samba/smb.conf
Processing section "[CIEWinMentor]"
Loaded services file OK.
Server role: ROLE_STANDALONE
Press enter to see a dump of your service definitions
[root@CIEmentor usr]#
```

Here is my smb.conf file:

```
#===== Global Settings
===== [global]
workgroup = MATRICON
server string = Mentor Server
security = share
hosts allow = 192.168.0.
guest account = root
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log file = /var/log/samba/%m.log
max log size = 50
local master = no
os level = 33
preferred master = no
dns proxy = no
add machine script = /usr/sbin/adduser -n -g machines -c Machine -d
/dev/null -s /bin/false %u #===== Share
Definitions
===== [CIEWinMentor]
comment = CIE WinMentor Databases
path = /usr/mentor
guest ok = yes
writable = yes
create mask = 777
sync always = yes
hosts allow = 192.168.0.9 192.168.0.10
public = yes
```

The problem is that when i try to create a new file or folder from the browser, my acces is denied. I am able to see and access the folders/files that i have already copied on the Hdd, i am able to copy data and create new directories via ssh connection, but i have no write access from the browser. The error that i receive is:

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[root@CIEmentor usr]# tail -f /var/log/messages
Feb 6 15:54:49 CIEmentor kernel: audit(1170770089.930:70): avc: denied {
write } for pid=12486 comm="smbd" name="mentor" dev=dm-0
ino=7791439
scontext=root:system_r:smbd_t:s0 tcontext=root:object_r:usr_t:s0 tclass=dir
Feb 6 15:54:49 CIEmentor kernel: audit(1170770089.934:71): avc: denied {
write } for pid=12486 comm="smbd" name="mentor" dev=dm-0
ino=7791439
scontext=root:system_r:smbd_t:s0 tcontext=root:object_r:usr_t:s0 tclass=dir
Feb 6 15:54:49 CIEmentor kernel: audit(1170770089.934:72): avc: denied {
write } for pid=12486 comm="smbd" name="mentor" dev=dm-0
ino=7791439
scontext=root:system_r:smbd_t:s0 tcontext=root:object_r:usr_t:s0 tclass=dir
Feb 6 15:54:49 CIEmentor kernel: audit(1170770089.938:73): avc: denied {
write } for pid=12486 comm="smbd" name="mentor" dev=dm-0
ino=7791439
scontext=root:system_r:smbd_t:s0 tcontext=root:object_r:usr_t:s0 tclass=dir
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What can go wrong?

/usr/anything is not considered a good place for shared directories. Take a look at

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ls -l /usr/
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Also, I wouldn't be happy with the line

guest account = root

Anne

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