

# Server Core - Manage Account and Server

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Before you do the following settings, read through the Network configuration commands for basic network setup commands.

The most basic thing is, but a lot of beginners get how to re-enable the command window when it is accidentally closed. Just open Task Manager ( **Ctrl + Shift + Esc** ), go to **File > New Task**, enter **cmd** in it and press **Enter** . Command Prompt will be opened again.

Join into a domain:

```
netdom join ComputerName / domain: DomainName / userd: UserName / passwordd: *
```

- \* Replace UserName with a valid UserName
- \* Replace \* in / passwordd: \* corresponding to UserName

Remove from a domain:

```
netdom remove
```

Change the name of a Domain Member:

```
netdom renamecomputer% computername% / NewName: / userd: UserName / passwordd: *
```

- \* Replace NewName with the new name of Domain Member
- \* Replace UserName with a valid UserName
- \* Replace \* in / passwordd: \* corresponding to UserName

Rename a Stand-Alone Member:

```
netdom renamecomputer / NewName:
```

- \* Replace NewName with the new name of the server

Rename Administrator:

```
wmic UserAccount where Name = "Administrator" call Rename Name = "new-name"
```

- \* This case is not a new admin but a new name, you have to make sure to replace the correct admin name with the value.

Add a Local User Account:

```
net user UserName * / add
```

- \* Replace UserName with a valid UserName
- \* You will receive a request to enter the password twice.

Delete a Local User Account:

```
net user UserName / delete
```

\* Replace UserName with a valid UserName

Add User to Local Group:

```
net localgroup GroupName UserName / add
```

\* Replace GroupName with the name GroupName valid

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Delete User from Local Group:

```
net localgroup GroupName UserName / delete
```

\* Replace GroupName with the name GroupName valid

\* or UserName with valid UserName. If this is User in a domain, use the syntax - DomainNameUserName

Confirm Domain and New Computer name:

```
Set
```

Update User Password:

```
Net user [/ domain] *
```

## **The next command will help you configure server management**

Turn on / off Toggle Remote Desktop:

```
Cscript windowssystem32scregedit.wsf / ar 0
```

Enable security for RDP connection.

```
Cscript windowssystem32scregedit.wsf / cs 0
```

Activate Server Core:

Direct command - Slmgr.vbs - ato

Remote command - Cscript windowssystem32slmgr.vbsServerName UserName password: -ato

List of installed patches

```
wmic qfe list
```

Install the Update:

```
wusa .msu / quiet
```

Configure AutoUpdates:

```
cscript scregedit.wsf / AU / 4
```

Disable AutoUpdates:

```
cscript scregedit.wsf / AU / 1
```

See AutoUpdate settings

```
cscript scregedit.wsf / AU / v
```

#### Configuration Page File:

wmic pagefileset where name = set InitialSize =, MaximumSize =

#### Proxy Server configuration: (Server Core cannot use proxy to request a proxy)

netsh Winhttp set proxy:

#### All commonly used TCP / IP commands include:

IPConfig

ARP

Ping

PathPing

Tracert

Route

NSLookup

NetStat

NBTStat

#### List of running Services:

sc query

#### Start / Stop a Service:

sc start

sc stop

#### Task Manager: (Ctrl + Shift + Esc)

taskmgr

#### Managing Disk Volumes:

Diskpart /?

#### Defrag a Volume:

defrag /?

#### Change Time and Time Zone:

control timedate.cpl

#### Change Desktop Resolution: (requires logoff and login again)

Regedit - HKEY\_LOCAL\_MACHINESYSTEMCurrentControlSetControlVideo

000DefaultSettings.XResolution

000DefaultSettings.YResolution

#### Show time on Command Prompt:

prompt [\$ t] \$ s \$ p \$ g

#### Log off Server Core:

logoff

#### Restart Server Core:

shutdown / r / t 0

\* Parameter / t 0 is the time to reset (in seconds).

Shutdown Server Core:

shutdown / s / t 0

\* Parameter / t 0 is the time to set the machine to turn off (in seconds).

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