

CIFS, ACLs and ZFS: The One File System to Rule them all!

**Aka: “Step-by-Step guide to get a CIFS server
working for Windows clients”**

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Solaris CIFS Server: Background

- **“Seamless, ubiquitous, cross-protocol file sharing”**
Alan Wright, Project Lead for CIFS Server
- **CIFS server is now a first class citizen in Solaris**
 - **Putback into Development/Nevada October 2007**
 - Available in Solaris Express and OpenSolaris 2008.03
 - **25+ ARC cases, 800 files, approximately 370,000 lines of code (including 180,000 lines of new code)**
- **Tight integration with NFS, ZFS, and Active Directory**
 - **Windows/CIFS concepts such as Security Identifiers and Access Tokens are now native to Solaris kernel**

Jarod Nash - LOSUG - September 2008

Solaris CIFS Service

“Seamless, ubiquitous, cross-protocol file sharing”

<http://www.oug.org/files/presentations/cifs-losug.pdf>

What you need?

- Solaris 11 Express or OpenIndiana
- Windows Domain or Windows Workgroup

Window Active Directory Domain

- ~£200 - £500 gets you a Supported version (Business/Standard)
 - with **BUG FIXES and Patches!!**
- Free for students with Bug Fixes and Patches!!
- CIFS is compatible with Windows 2003 and Windows 2008
- Windows 2008 needs some patches to work with CIFS:
 - NTLMv2 authentication problem:
<http://support.microsoft.com/kb/957441>
 - Windows Server 2008 SP1 with hot fix KB951191
- Windows Server 2008 SP2 may have these fixes!

For Example

- **Set AD Domain** = test.int
- **Windows 2008 server** = windows = 192.168.56.3
- **Solaris Server** = openindiana = 192.168.56.5

- **Setup DNS Server**
- **Check packages are installed**

```
% pkg list smb
```

| NAME (PUBLISHER) | VERSION | STATE | UFOXI |
|-------------------------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| service/file-system/smb | 0.5.11-0.148 | installed | ----- |
| system/file-system/smb | 0.5.11-0.148 | installed | ----- |

- **Sync clocks**

CIFS Server

- Identity mapping of users and groups between systems

```
$ svcs \*idmap\*
```

| STATE | STIME | FMRI |
|----------|----------|---------------------------|
| disabled | 12:16:59 | svc:/system/idmap:default |

```
$ svcadm enable idmap
```

```
$ svcs \*idmap\*
```

| STATE | STIME | FMRI |
|--------|----------|---------------------------|
| online | 12:40:38 | svc:/system/idmap:default |

```
$ pfexec idmap add 'winuser:*@test.int' 'unixuser:*
```

```
$ pfexec idmap add 'wingroup:*@test.int' 'unixgroup:*
```

```
$ idmap list
```

| | | |
|-----|--------------------|------------|
| add | winuser:*@test.int | unixuser:* |
|-----|--------------------|------------|

| | | |
|-----|---------------------|-------------|
| add | wingroup:*@test.int | unixgroup:* |
|-----|---------------------|-------------|

idmap

❏ \$ idmap dump

usid:S-1-5-21-275504925-2437894988-2844437058-500 == uid:2147483649

gsid:S-1-5-21-275504925-2437894988-2844437058-513 == gid:2147483650

gsid:S-1-5-21-275504925-2437894988-2844437058-512 == gid:501

gsid:S-1-5-21-275504925-2437894988-2844437058-519 == gid:2147483653

gsid:S-1-5-11 == gid:2147483656

gsid:S-1-5-32-544 == gid:2147483657

\$ idmap dump -n

winuser:Administrator@test.int == uid:2147483649

wingroup:Domain Users@test.int == gid:2147483650

wingroup:Domain Admins@test.int == unixgroup:winadmin

wingroup:Enterprise Admins@test.int == gid:2147483653

wingroup:Authenticated Users == gid:2147483656

wingroup:Administrators@BUILTIN == gid:2147483657

Identity Mapping

- **Unknown Windows identities are mapped to dynamically allocate UIDs / GIDs.** windows SID => unix UID
- **Unknown Unix identities are not mapped to Windows so they MUST exist in AD.** ~~unix UID => windows SID~~

```
idmap[501]: [ID 523480 daemon.notice] AD lookup of winname  
root@test.int failed, error code -9961
```

```
idmap[501]: [ID 523480 daemon.notice] AD lookup of winname  
sys@test.int failed, error code -9961
```

```
idmap[501]: [ID 523480 daemon.notice] AD lookup of winname  
staff@test.int failed, error code -9961
```

- **It is a good idea that well know accounts which may be used in ACL have a permanent mapping to a UNIX group**

```
$ idmap add "wingroup:Domain Admins@test.int" unixgroup:winadmin
```

CIFS Server (Active Directory Domain)

- **Edit /etc/krb5/krb5.conf**

```
[libdefaults]
    default_realm = TEST.INT
[realms]
    TEST.INT = {
        kdc = windows.test.int
        admin_server = windows.test.int
        kpasswd_server = windows.test.int
        kpasswd_protocol = SET_CHANGE
    }
[domain_realm]
    .test.int = TEST.INT
```

- **Start smb services**

```
$ pfexec svcadm enable -r smb/server
```

```
$ svcs \*smb\
```

| STATE | STIME | FMRI |
|----------|----------|---------------------------------|
| disabled | Nov_08 | svc:/network/smb/client:default |
| online | 15:21:01 | svc:/network/smb/server:default |
| online | 15:21:03 | svc:/network/shares/group:smb |

Join the Active Directory Domain

```
$ pfexec smbadm join -u Administrator test.int
```

After joining test.int the smb service will be restarted.

Would you like to continue? [no]: **yes**

Enter domain password:

Joining test.int ... this may take a minute ...

failed to find any domain controllers for test.int

```
$ tail /var/adm/messages
```

...openindiana smbdc: failed locating domain controller

...openindiana ... smbdc_dc_update: test.int: located windows

- **Set the LAN manager authentication level on your Solaris system**
smb(4)

```
$ pfexec sharectl set -p lmauth_level=2 smb
```

```
$ pfexec smbadm join -u Administrator test.int
```

After joining test.int the smb service will be restarted

Would you like to continue? [no]: **yes**

Enter domain password:

Joining test.int ... this may take a minute ...

Successfully joined test.int

Join the WorkGroup (this what the manual says!)

```
$ pfexec smbadm join -w WorkGroup-Name
```

**Need to setup Solaris server to handle authentication of users.
Edit /etc/pam.conf to support an encrypted SMB password**

```
other    password required    pam_smb_passwd.so.1    nowarn
```

```
$ pfexec passwd andrew
```

Setup ZFS filesystem

- **Enable Cross-Protocol Locking** (nbmand)
 - SMB assumes mandatory locking
 - UNIX advisory locking
- **Mixed case** (casesensitivity)
- **Enable SMB sharing on share** (sharesmb)

```
$ pfexec zfs create -o nbmand=on -o casesensitivity=mixed  
rpool/export/homes
```

```
$ pfexec zfs create rpool/export/homes/andrew
```

```
$ pfexec zfs set sharesmb=name=andrew rpool/export/homes/andrew
```

```
$ zfs get nbmand,casesensitivity,sharesmb  
rpool/export/homes/andrew
```

| NAME | PROPERTY | VALUE | SOURCE |
|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------|
| ../homes/andrew | nbmand | on | inherited from .. |
| ../homes/andrew | casesensitivity | mixed | - |
| ../homes/andrew | sharesmb | name=andrew | local |

```
$ pfexec chown andrew:staff /export/homes/andrew
```

Check \$path

```
# touch /export/homes/andrew/file
```

```
# echo $path
```

```
/usr/gnu/bin:/usr/bin:/usr/sbin:/sbin
```

```
$ ls -lv
```

```
-rw-r--r--  1 andrew  staff      0 Nov 18 18:42 file
```

```
$ /usr/bin/ls -lv
```

```
-rw-r--r--  1 andrew  staff      0 Nov 18 18:42 file
```

```
0:owner@:read_data/write_data/append_data/read_xattr/write_xattr  
/read_attributes/write_attributes/read_acl/write_acl/write_owner  
/synchronize:allow
```

```
1:group@:read_data/read_xattr/read_attributes/read_acl/synchronize:allow
```

```
2:everyone@:read_data/read_xattr/read_attributes/read_acl/synchronize  
:allow
```

```
$ /usr/bin/ls -lV
```

```
-rw-r--r--  1 andrew  staff      0 Nov 18 18:42 file
```

```
owner@:rw-p--aARWcCos:-----:allow
```

```
group@:r-----a-R-c--s:-----:allow
```

```
everyone@:r-----a-R-c--s:-----:allow
```

ACL properties on filesystem

discard - New objects, no ACL entries are inherited

noallow - New objects, only inheritable ACL entries that have access to type deny are inherited.

restricted - New objects, the write_owner and write_acl permissions are removed when ACL entry is inherited.

passthrough - New objects are created with a mode determined by the inheritable ACEs (Access Control Entries).

passthrough-x - As above, plus files are created with the execute (x) set.

So to get inheritance working from Windows:

```
$ pfexec zfs set aclinherit=passthrough-x rpool/export/homes
```

```
$ zfs get aclinherit rpool/export/homes/andrew
```

| NAME | PROPERTY | VALUE | SOURCE |
|-----------------|------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| ...homes/andrew | aclinherit | passthrough-x | inherited from .../homes |

ACLs

```
$ /bin/ls -ldv /export/homes/andrew
drwxr-xr-x  3 andrew  staff          3 Nov 30 12:40 /export/homes/andrew
0:owner@:list_directory/read_data/add_file/write_data/add_subdirectory
  /append_data/read_xattr/write_xattr/execute/read_attributes
  /write_attributes/read_acl/write_acl/write_owner/synchronize:allow
1:group@:list_directory/read_data/read_xattr/execute/read_attributes
  /read_acl/synchronize:allow
2:everyone@:list_directory/read_data/read_xattr/execute/read_attributes
  /read_acl/synchronize:allow
```

```
$ /bin/ls -ldV /export/homes/andrew
drwxr-xr-x  3 andrew  staff          3 Nov 30 12:40 /export/homes/andrew
      owner@:rwxp--aARWcCos:-----:allow      (0)
      group@:r-x---a-R-c--s:-----:allow      (1)
      everyone@:r-x---a-R-c--s:-----:allow    (2)
```

Edit ACL Entry

CANCEL
OK

☒ **Read**

- ☒ Read Data/List Directory (r)
- ☒ Execute File/Traverse Directory (x)
- ☒ Append Data/Add Subdirectory (p)
- ☒ Read Attributes (a)
- ☒ Read Extended Attributes (R)

☒ **Write**

- ☒ Write Data/Add File (w)
- ☒ Delete (d)
- ☒ Delete Child (D)
- ☒ Write Attributes (A)
- ☒ Write Extended Attributes (W)

☒ **Admin**

- ☒ Read ACL/Permissions (c)
- ☒ Write ACL/Permissions (C)
- ☒ Change Owner (o)

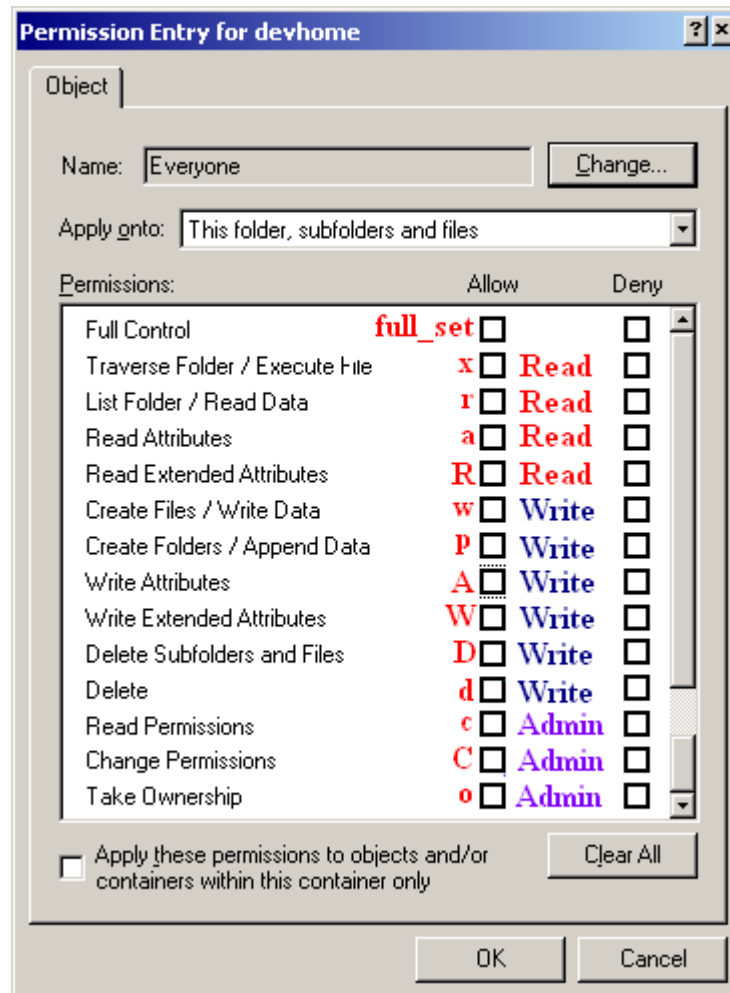
☐ **Inheritance**

- ☒ Apply to Files (f)
- ☒ Apply to Directories (d)
- ☐ Do not apply to self (i)
- ☐ Do not apply past children (n)

☐ **Full Control**

```
owner@:list_directory/read_data/add_file/write_data/add_subdirectory
/append_data/read_xattr/write_xattr/execute/delete_child/read_attributes
/write_attributes/delete/read_acl/write_acl/write_owner/synchronize:file_i
nherit/dir_inherit:allow
```

```
owner@:rwxpdDaARWcCos:fd-----:allow
```



```
owner@:list_directory/read_data/add_file/write_data/add_subdirectory
/append_data/read_xattr/write_xattr/execute/delete_child/read_attributes
/write_attributes/delete/read_acl/write_acl/write_owner/synchronize:file_i
nherit/dir_inherit:allow
```

```
owner@:rwxpdDaARWcCos:fd-----:allow
```

ACL Entry Type

| | |
|------------------|---|
| owner@ | Specifies the access granted to the owner of the object. |
| group@ | Specifies the access granted to the owning group of the object. |
| everyone@ | Specifies the access granted to any user or group that does not match any other ACL entry. |
| user | With a user name, specifies the access granted to an additional user of the object. Must include the ACL-entry-ID, which contains a username or userID. If the value is not a valid numeric UID or username, the ACL entry type is invalid. |
| group | With a group name, specifies the access granted to an additional group of the object. Must include the ACL-entry-ID, which contains a groupname or groupID. If the value is not a valid numeric GID or groupname, the ACL entry type is invalid. |

ZFS ACL Sets

| ACL Set Name | Included ACL Permissions |
|--------------|--|
| full_set | All permissions :rwxpdDaARWcCos:-----:allow chmod "A+user:andrew:full_set:allow" file |
| modify_set | all permissions except write_acl and write_owner :rwxpdDaARWc--s:-----:allow chmod "A+user:andrew:modify_set:allow" file |
| read_set | read_data, read_attributes, read_xattr, and read_acl :r-----a-R-c---:-----:allow chmod "A+user:andrew:read_set:allow" file |
| write_set | write_data, append_data, write_attributes, and write_xattr :-w-p---A-W----:-----:allow chmod "A+user:andrew:write_set:allow" file |

ACL Access Privileges

| Access Privilege | Compact Access Privilege | |
|------------------|--------------------------|---|
| add_file | w | Permission to add a new file to a directory. |
| add_subdirectory | p | On a directory, permission to create a subdirectory. |
| append_data | p | Not currently implemented. |
| delete | d | Permission to delete a file. |
| delete_child | D | Permission to delete a file or directory within a directory. |
| execute | x | Permission to execute a file or search the contents of a directory. |
| list_directory | r | Permission to list the contents of a directory. |
| read_acl | c | Permission to read the ACL (ls). |
| read_attributes | a | Permission to read basic attributes (non-ACLs) of a file. Think of basic attributes as the stat level attributes. Allowing this access mask bit means the entity can execute ls(1) and stat(2). |

ACL Access Privileges

| Access Privilege | Compact Access Privilege | |
|------------------|--------------------------|---|
| read_data | r | Permission to read the contents of the file. |
| read_xattr | R | Permission to read the extended attributes of a file or perform a lookup in the file's extended attributes directory. |
| synchronize | s | Placeholder. Not currently implemented. |
| write_xattr | W | Permission to create extended attributes or write to the extended attributes directory. Granting this permission to a user means that the user can create an extended attribute directory for a file. The attribute file's permissions control the user's access to the attribute. |
| write_data | w | Permission to modify or replace the contents of a file. |

ACL Access Privileges

| Access Privilege | Compact Access Privilege | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| write_attributes | A | Permission to change the times associated with a file or directory to an arbitrary value. |
| write_acl | C | Permission to write the ACL or the ability to modify the ACL by using the chmod command. |
| write_owner | o | <p>Permission to change the file's owner or group. Or, the ability to execute the chown or chgrp commands on the file.</p> <p>Permission to take ownership of a file or permission to change the group ownership of the file to a group of which the user is a member. If you want to change the file or group ownership to an arbitrary user or group, then the PRIV_FILE_CHOWN privilege is required.</p> |

ACL Inheritance

| Inheritance Flag | Inheritance Flag | |
|------------------|------------------|---|
| file_inherit | f | Only inherit the ACL from the parent directory to the directory's files |
| dir_inherit | d | Only inherit the ACL from the parent directory to the directory's subdirectories. |
| inherit_only | i | Inherit the ACL from the parent directory but applies only to newly created files or subdirectories and not the directory itself. This flag requires the file_inherit flag, the dir_inherit flag, or both, to indicate what to inherit. |
| no_propagate | n | Only inherit the ACL from the parent directory to the first-level contents of the directory, not the second-level or subsequent contents. This flag requires the file_inherit flag, the dir_inherit flag, or both, to indicate what to inherit. |

ACL Inheritance

| Inheritance Flag | Inheritance Flag | |
|--|------------------|---|
| Currently, the following flags are only applicable to a SMB client or server | | |
| successful_access | S | Indicates whether an alarm or audit record should be initiated upon a successful access. This flag is used with audit or alarm ACE types. |
| failed_access | F | Indicates whether an alarm or audit record should be initiated when an access fails. This flag is used with audit or alarm ACE types. |
| inherited | I | Indicates that an ACE was inherited. |

What's New since OpenSolaris

PSARC/2010/029 FastTrack

- deny ACL are not required in most cases now.
 - exceptions: 0705 (g-rwx), 0060 (u-rwx)
- aclmode has gone, which means that chmod will discard all ACLs
 - does not try to keep ACLs in place any more
- user and owner are treated together?
 - You no longer require both **andrew:** and **owner:**

An Interoperability Solution

```
$ /bin/ls -ldV /export/homes/andrew
drwxr-xr-x  3 andrew  staff          3 Nov 30 12:40 /export/homes/andrew
              owner@:rwxp--aARWcCos:-----:allow      (0)
              group@:r-x---a-R-c--s:-----:allow      (1)
              everyone@:r-x---a-R-c--s:-----:allow    (2)

$ cd /export/homes

$ chmod "A2=everyone@:r-x---a-R-c--s:fd-----:allow" andrew

$ chmod "A+user:andrew:rwxpd-aARWc--s:fd-----:allow" andrew

$ chmod "A+group:staff:r-x---a-R-c--s:fd:allow" andrew

$ chmod "A+group:winadmin:full_set:file_inherit/dir_inherit:allow"
andrew
```

An Interoperability Solution

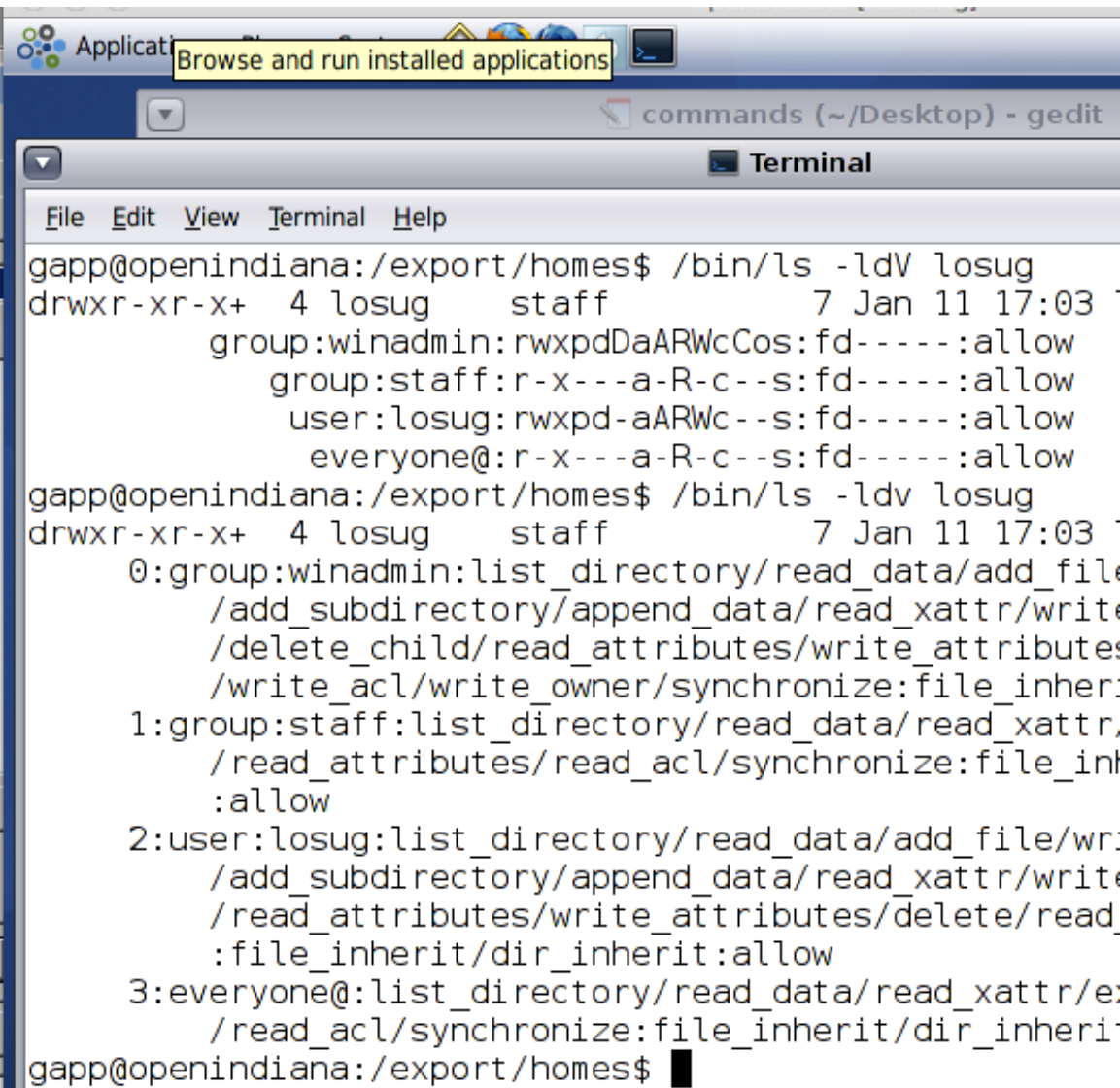
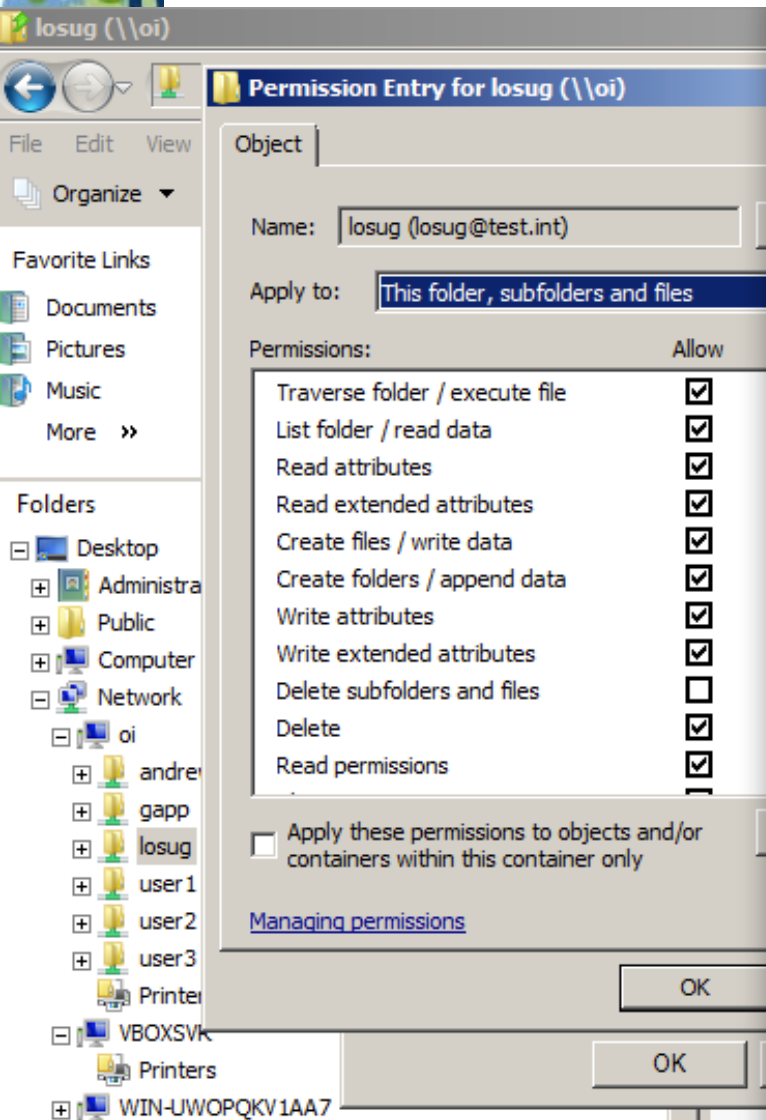
```
drwxr-xr-x+  3 andrew  staff          3 Nov 30 12:40 andrew
  group:winadmin:rwxpdaARWcCos:fd-----:allow      (0)
  group:staff:r-x---a-R-c--s:fd-----:allow        (1)
  user:andrew:rwxpdaARWc--s:fd-----:allow         (2)
  owner@:rwxp--aARWcCos:-----:allow               (3)
  group@:r-x---a-R-c--s:-----:allow                (4)
  everyone@:r-x---a-R-c--s:fd-----:allow           (5)
```

```
$ chmod "A4-" andrew
```

```
$ chmod "A-owner@:rwxp--aARWcCos:-----:allow" andrew
```

```
$ ls -ldV andrew
```

```
drwxr-xr-x+  3 andrew  staff 3 Nov 30 12:40 /export/homes/andrew
  group:winadmin:rwxpdaARWcCos:fd-----:allow
  group:staff:r-x---a-R-c--s:fd-----:allow
  user:andrew:rwxpdaARWc--s:fd-----:allow
  everyone@:r-x---a-R-c--s:fd-----:allow
```



References

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Improved ACL interoperability

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Solaris 11 CIFS / ACLs

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