

Managing UPN Suffixes

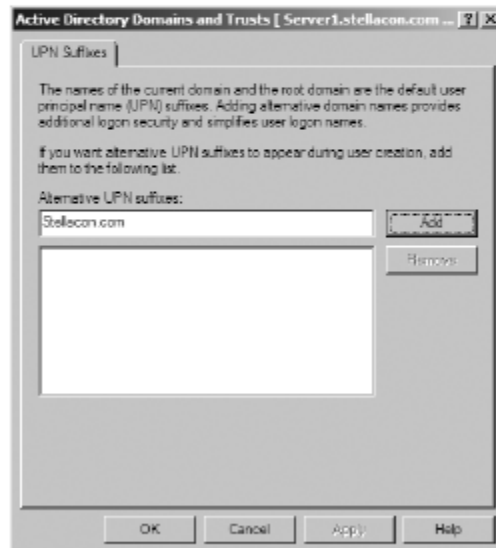
User principal name (UPN) suffixes are the part of a user's name that appears after the @ symbol. So, for instance, the UPN suffix of `wpanek@stellacon.com` would be `stellacon.com`. By default, the UPN suffix is determined by the name of the domain in which the user is created. In this example, the user `wpanek` was created in the domain `stellacon.com`, so the two pieces of the UPN logically fit together. However, you might find it useful to provide an alternative UPN suffix to consolidate the UPNs forest-wide.

For instance, if you manage a forest that consists of `stellacon.com` and `stellacon2.com`, you might want all of your users to adopt the more generally applicable `stellacon.com` UPN

suffix. By adding additional UPN suffixes to the forest, you can easily choose the appropriate suffix when it comes time to create new users. Exercise 4.5 shows you how to add additional suffixes to a forest.

Adding a UPN Suffix

1. Open the Active Directory Domains And Trusts administrative tool by clicking Start > Administrative Tools > Active Directory Domains And Trusts.
2. Right-click Active Directory Domains And Trusts in the left side of the window and select Properties.
3. On the UPN Suffixes tab of the Active Directory Domains And Trusts Properties dialog box, enter an alternate UPN suffix in the Alternate UPN Suffixes field. Click the Add button to add the suffix to the list.



4. To remove a UPN suffix, select its name in the list and click the Remove button.