

Foreman - Bug #8339

Transform white spaces to dots in LDAP login

11/10/2014 03:38 PM - Daniel Kröger

Status: Resolved	
Priority: Low	
Assignee: Daniel Kröger	
Category: Authentication	
Target version:	
Difficulty: trivial	Fixed in Releases:
Triaged:	Found in Releases: 1.6.1
Bugzilla link: 1387093	Red Hat JIRA:
Pull request:	
Description	
<p>Since many LDAP sources in enterprises will be a Microsoft Active Directory where white spaces in login names are common it would be nice if when someone tries to login with such a login the white spaces would be transformed to dots so that a mapping for existing logins and creation of on-the-fly logins are possible.</p> <p>Example: Login name "Foo Bar" would be transformed to "foo.bar"</p>	

Associated revisions

Revision [dbe0b5ca](#) - 12/19/2016 06:33 AM - Marek Hulán

Refs #8339 - update AD login attribute

History

#1 - 11/11/2014 11:05 AM - Dominic Cleal

- translation missing: en.field_release deleted (27)

#2 - 12/04/2015 05:34 AM - Andy Airey

We have such an AD environment, it contains usernames (the 'sAMAccountName' LDAP Attribute) with spaces in it.

I am not able to create a user with a space in the name from within foreman.
I have tried replacing the whitespace with '%20' or a '.' to no avail.

When I try with a user which does not have a space in his sAMAccountName, it is working fine.

#3 - 10/20/2016 02:47 AM - Marek Hulán

- Bugzilla link set to 1387093

#4 - 10/24/2016 12:33 PM - Marek Hulán

- Status changed from New to Need more information

As mentioned in linked BZ, using [userPrincipalName](#) might be a better approach than allowing spaces in [sAMAccountName](#). sAMAccountName is supposed to be used for backwards compatibility with legacy Microsoft systems. userPrincipalName contains user login name. Would that be a viable solution? We should probably fix it in our manual.

#5 - 11/08/2016 02:28 PM - Bryan Kearney

Marek, who do you need the info from?

-- bk

#6 - 11/09/2016 04:43 AM - Marek Hulán

Ideally from the reporter - Daniel Kröger. If this resolves his issue we can mark this as closed.

#7 - 12/19/2016 02:14 AM - Marek Hulán

- Status changed from *Need more information* to *Feedback*

#8 - 05/17/2017 11:45 AM - Anonymous

- Status changed from *Feedback* to *Resolved*

no reaction, closing