Windows Servers Security Log Settings

ADAudit Plus periodically collects the audit-data from the configured servers and stores the information in the database for reporting. To avoid data loss, we recommend the below Event Log Settings.

Operating System of Server	Role	Security Log Size (Mb)	Security Log Retention
Windows Server 2003	Domain Controller	307.2	Overwrite Events As Needed
Windows Server 2008 and above	Domain Controller	1048.5	Overwrite Events As Needed
Windows Server 2003	File Server	307.2	Overwrite Events As Needed
Windows Server 2008 and above	File Server	4194.3	Overwrite Events As Needed
Windows Server 2003	Member Server	307.2	Overwrite Events As Needed
Windows Server 2008 and above	Member Server	1048.5	Overwrite Events As Needed

Note: Ensure that the security log can hold a minimum of 12 hours worth of data.

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