

ADCG - Active Directory Compare Groups

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Administration documentation

INI-File

The INI-File „AD-Tools.ini“ has to be in the same directory as the script.

Section	Key	Description
[group-description]	xx	xx is the AD group name (partial). This section holds the description for groups where the AD property “description” is empty. Example: AB_=xyz Description for all groups starting with “AB_”
[ADCG Main]	Userfunction	Sets the text for a button in the main GUI. When clicked this button calls function _ADCG_Main_UserFunction(). See section “User Functions” below.
[ADCG Listview]	Userfunction	Sets the text for a button in the context menu of the left or right listview. When clicked this button calls function _ADCG_LV_UserFunction(). See section “User Functions” below.
	Header	If set, this key replaces the default column headers for both listviews. The pipe character () separates the columns. Column 1 will always display the group name. Example: Header=Group description managedby
	Properties	If set, this key replaces the default AD properties to be displayed. Column 1 is always the SamAccountName of the group member but does not need to be specified here. Example: Properties=description,managedby
	DataFunction	When the internal array for the lines to be displayed is being built then function _ADCG_LV_DataFunction will be called for every record if the key is set to True. Key “Properties” has to be set as well.
[ADCG Detail]	Userfunction	Sets the text for a button in the detail GUI. When clicked this button calls function _ADCG_Detail_UserFunction(). See section “User Functions” below.

User Functions

There are some user functions that can be activated in the Ini-File. You can call them from the main GUI (button), both listviews (context menu) and the detail GUI (button). The button/context menu entry is deactivated until you set the corresponding key in the Ini-File.

The functions need to be defined in the AD-Tools_User.au3 file (at least empty functions). If the function is activated in the Ini-File but no function can be found in AD-Tools_User.au3 then the Ini-file will be ignored.

Parameters passed to the functions:

_ADCG_Main_UserFunction: None

_ADCG_LV_UserFunction: The Samaccountname from the selected listview row.

_ADCG_LV_DataFunction: The following parameters will be provided:

Pane: “L” or “R” to denote for which pane the function is being called

Properties: Array \$aProperties containing the user defined properties to be displayed

List: Address of the array holding all members of the displayed group (left or right pane)

Index: Index of the entry in the above list being processed (starting with 1)

_ADCG_Detail_UserFunction: None

Some of the global variables you might need to access (replace xx with “Left” or “Right”):

Variable	Description
\$aDisplayxx	Array with the data you see in the left/right listview
\$sFilter	Currently active Filter: L(ef), R(ight), B(oth)
\$sObjectxx	The object you entered to be displayed (xx stands for left or right)
\$sPane	The currently selected pane. Can be “Left” or “Right”
\$aProperties	User defined properties to be displayed
\$sSelected	SamAccountName of the selected listview entry

Permissions

ADCG uses the same permission checking as all other AD tools written by me:

User view: He can only check his own user

Department admin: He can check all users in the same department

Admin: He can check all users

For ADCG only admin access is sensible. Other users will not be allowed to run the function.

Modify function `_Check_Access` in `AD-Tools_User.au3` to change the permission checking to your needs.