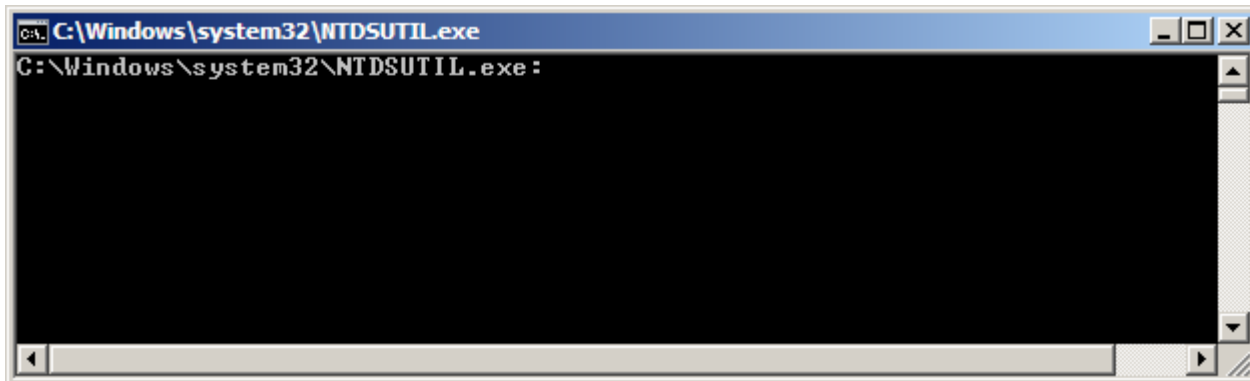


SEIZING FSMO ROLES

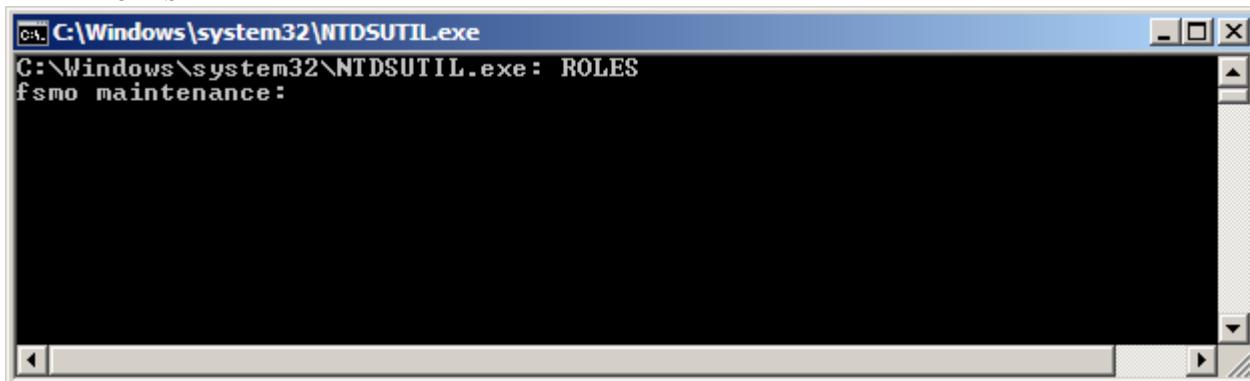
~ WINDOWS SERVER 2008 ~

OPEN THE RUN COMMAND AND TYPE "NTDSUTIL"



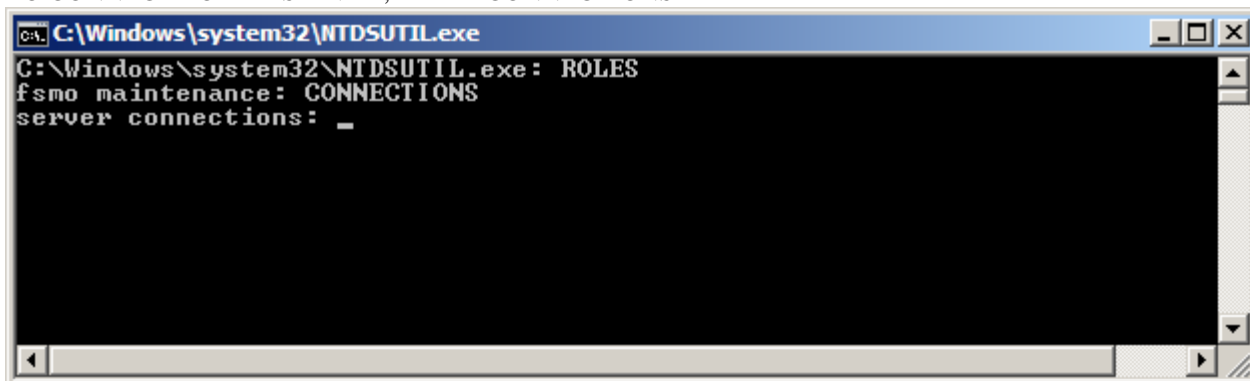
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TYPE "ROLES"



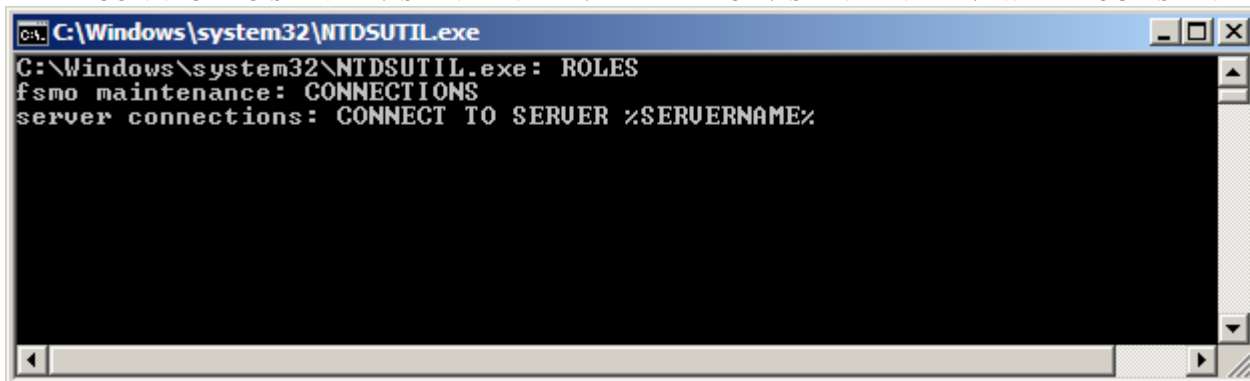
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fsmo maintenance:
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TO CONNECT TO THE SERVER, TYPE "CONNECTIONS"



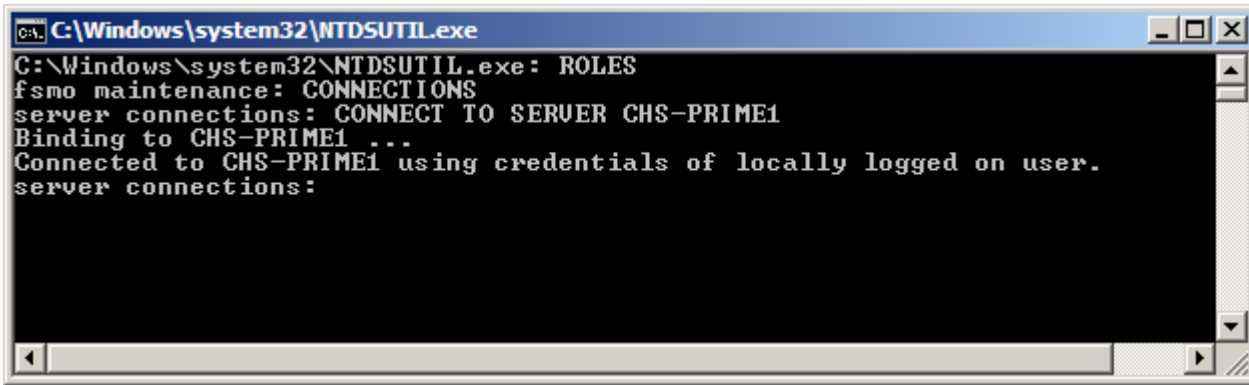
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C:\Windows\system32\NTDSUTIL.exe
C:\Windows\system32\NTDSUTIL.exe: ROLES
fsmo maintenance: CONNECTIONS
server connections: _
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TYPE "CONNECT TO SERVER %SERVERNAME%" – REPLACE %SERVERNAME% WITH YOUR SERVER



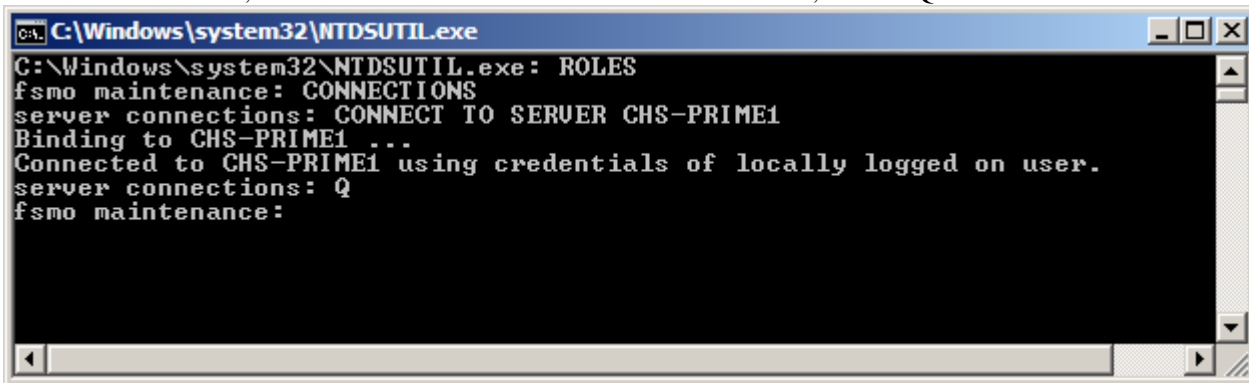
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C:\Windows\system32\NTDSUTIL.exe: ROLES
fsmo maintenance: CONNECTIONS
server connections: CONNECT TO SERVER %SERVERNAME%
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SUCCESSFULLY CONNECTED...



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C:\Windows\system32\NTDSUTIL.exe
C:\Windows\system32\NTDSUTIL.exe: ROLES
fsmo maintenance: CONNECTIONS
server connections: CONNECT TO SERVER CHS-PRIME1
Binding to CHS-PRIME1 ...
Connected to CHS-PRIME1 using credentials of locally logged on user.
server connections:
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ONCE CONNECTED, STEP BACKWARDS IN THE NTDSUTIL MENU, TYPE "Q"



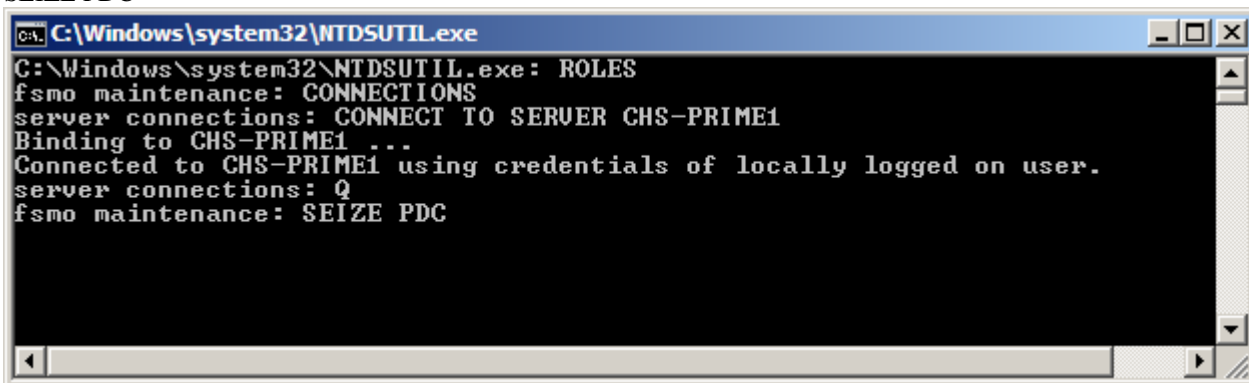
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fsmo maintenance: CONNECTIONS
server connections: CONNECT TO SERVER CHS-PRIME1
Binding to CHS-PRIME1 ...
Connected to CHS-PRIME1 using credentials of locally logged on user.
server connections: Q
fsmo maintenance:
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AT THE "FSMO MAINTENANCE" PROMPT, TYPE "SEIZE" %ROLE% - REPLACE %ROLE% WITH THE PROPER SYNTAX. AVAILABLE SYNTAX FOR THE 5 FSMO ROLES:

- SEIZE PDC
- SEIZE NAMING MASTER
- SEIZE RID MASTER
- SEIZE SCHEMA MASTER
- SEIZE INFRASTRUCTURE MASTER

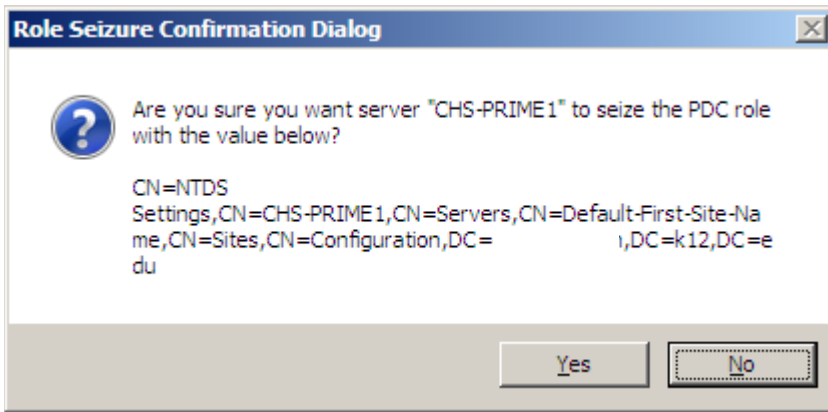
WARNING: CHECK IF THE INFRASTRUCTURE MASTER ROLE WILL BE PASSING TO A GLOBAL CATALOG SERVER IN A CROSS-DOMAIN INFRASTRUCTURE. IF SO, DO NOT SEIZE THE ROLE.

SEIZE PDC

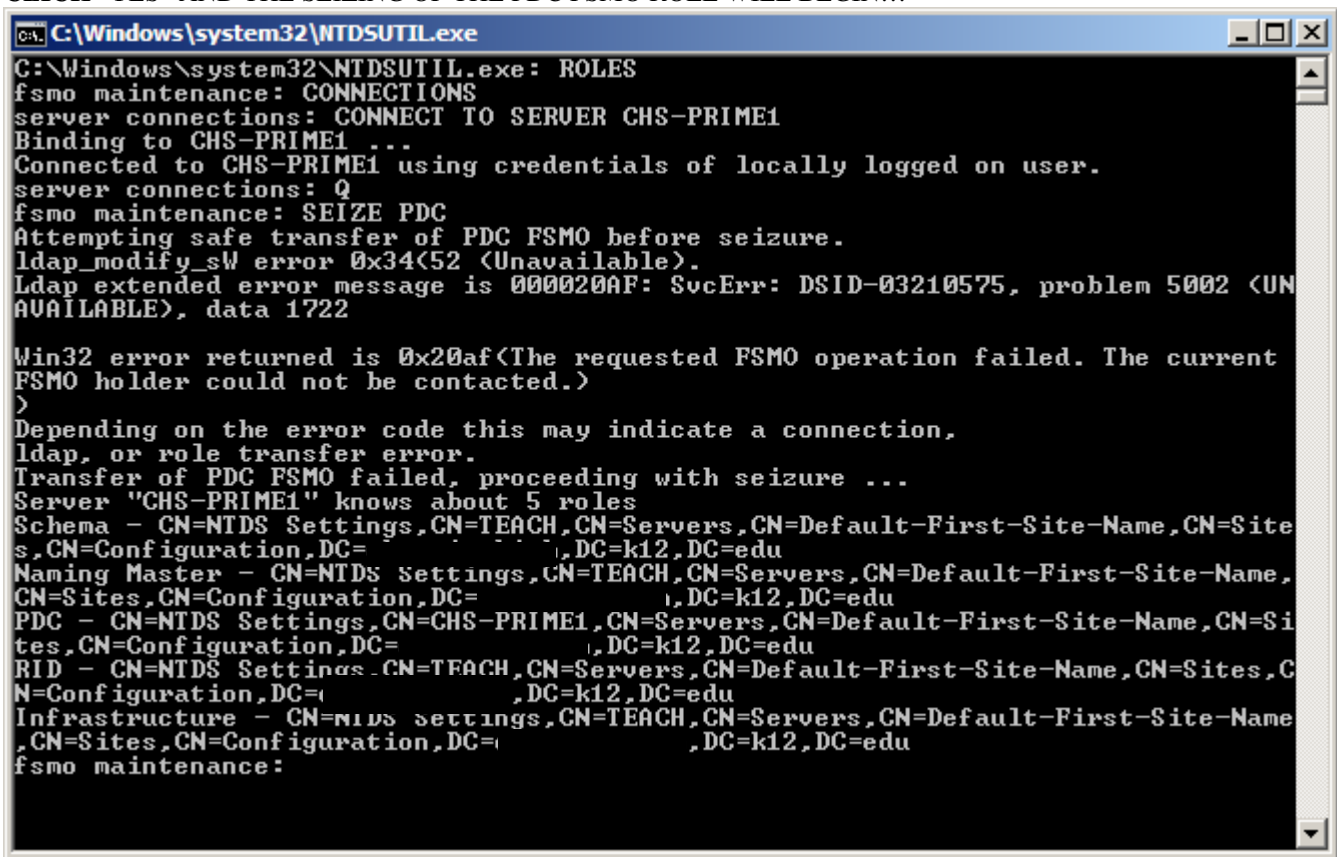


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C:\Windows\system32\NTDSUTIL.exe: ROLES
fsmo maintenance: CONNECTIONS
server connections: CONNECT TO SERVER CHS-PRIME1
Binding to CHS-PRIME1 ...
Connected to CHS-PRIME1 using credentials of locally logged on user.
server connections: Q
fsmo maintenance: SEIZE PDC
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WARNING MESSAGE TO CONFIRM THE SEIZING OF THE PDC FSMO ROLE:



CLICK "YES" AND THE SEIZING OF THE PDC FSMO ROLE WILL BEGIN...



NOTICE:

THE FIVE ROLES ARE MENTIONED AND THE ROLE OF PDC HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY SEIZED FROM TEACH TO CHS-PRIME1. ALSO, NOTICE THE SERVER TRIED TO TRANSFER THE ROLE PRIOR TO SEIZING THE ROLE. "TRANSFER OF PDC FSMO FAILED, PROCEEDING WITH SEIZURE..." – THIS IS BECAUSE THE SERVER HOLDING THE PDC ROLE IS NO LONGER OPERATING AND AVAILABLE FOR A TRANSFER OF THE PDC FSMO ROLE.

REPEAT FOR FOR EACH ROLE TO SEIZE.

WARNING: CHECK IF THE INFRASTRUCTURE MASTER ROLE WILL BE PASSING TO A GLOBAL CATALOG SERVER IN A CROSS-DOMAIN INFRASTRUCTURE. IF SO, DO NOT SEIZE THE ROLE.

NOTE: DUE TO THE SECURITY OF THE NETWORK USED IN THIS EXAMPLE, THE SPECIFICS OF THE DC CONFIGURATION OF BEEN HIDDEN. THE MISSING DATA WILL BE REPLACED WITH THE SPECIFICS OF YOUR DC CONFIGURATION. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS, PLEASE CALL HUCOR TECHNOLOGIES AT 330-219-8301.