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I lost my administrator password. How can I reset it?

The following programs are required for this FAQ article:

Putty (SSH Client) (<http://www.chiark.greenend.org.uk/~sgtatham/putty/latest.html>)

TightVNC (VNC Client) (<http://www.tightvnc.com/download.php>)

You can use the Rescue system to reset a lost Windows password.

-----> dedicated servers <-----

- 1) Start the rescue mode in the central customer management.
- 2) Use the Putty program to connect to the server that is in rescue.
- 3) Enter the following command: (HDD and SSD)

-----> without raid <-----:

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apt-get update
apt-get install qemu -fy
curl -O -J https://fileshare.myloc.de/index.php/s/Fix7xxQPSOeQMQ2/download
qemu-system-x86_64 -enable-kvm -hda /dev/sda -vnc :12 -m 1024 -cpu host,+nx -cdrom
pwrecover.iso -boot d
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-----> with raid <-----:

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apt-get install qemu -fy
curl -O -J https://fileshare.myloc.de/index.php/s/Fix7xxQPSOeQMQ2/download
qemu-system-x86_64 -enable-kvm -hda /dev/sda -hdb /dev/sdb -vnc :12 -m 1024 -cpu host,+nx
-cdrom pwrecover.iso -boot d
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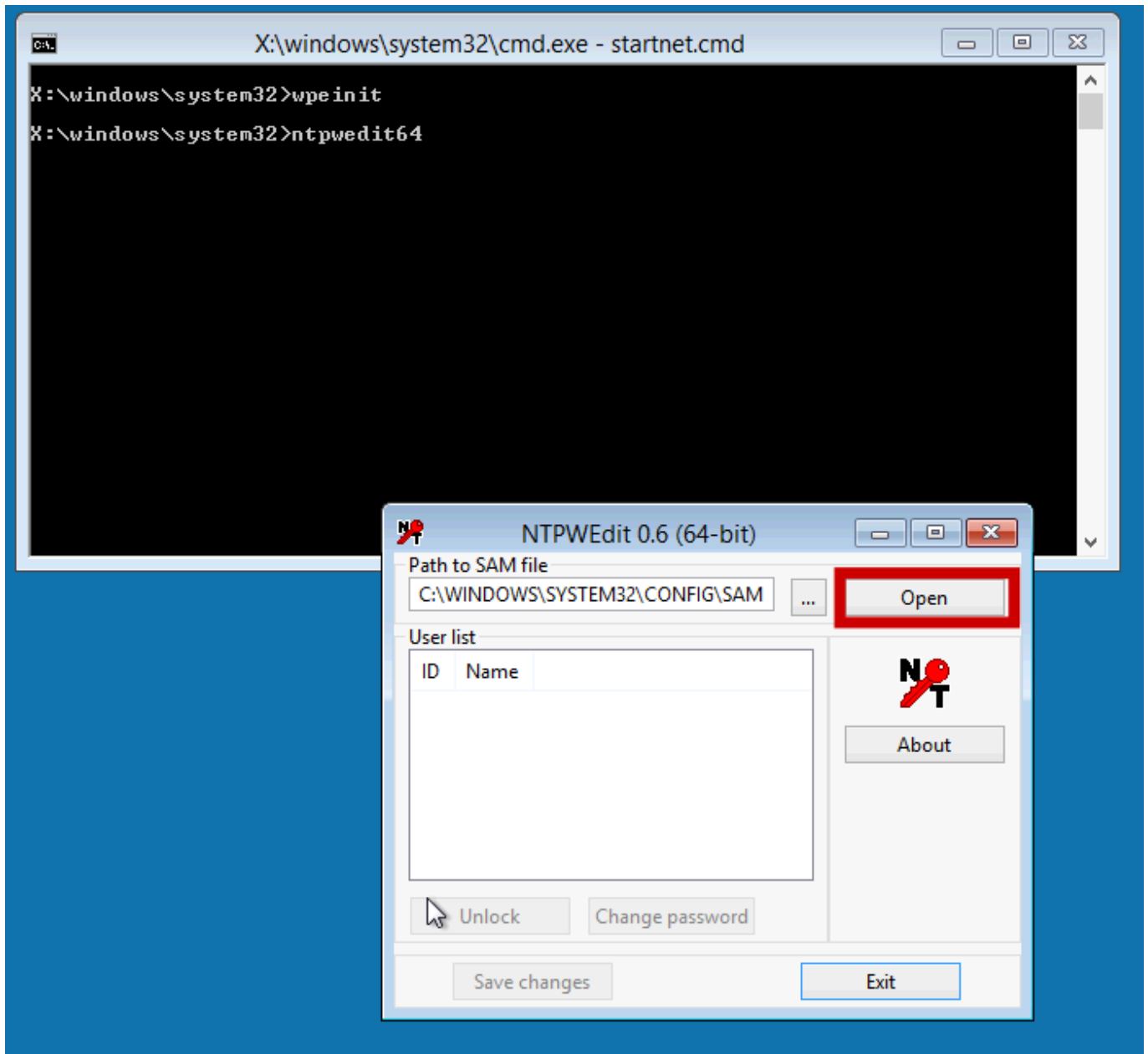
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-----> without Raid <-----:

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apt-get install qemu -fy
curl -O -J https://fileshare.myloc.de/index.php/s/Fix7xxQPSOeQMQ2/download
qemu-system-x86_64 -enable-kvm -hda /dev/nvme0n1 -vnc :12 -m 1024 -cpu host,+nx -cdrom
pwrecover.iso -boot d
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- 4) Now connect to the server via VNC (e.g. with TightVNC). As "Remote Host" enter the IP of the server and the port of VNC (5912) like 127.0.0.1:5912.
- 5) Click "Open"

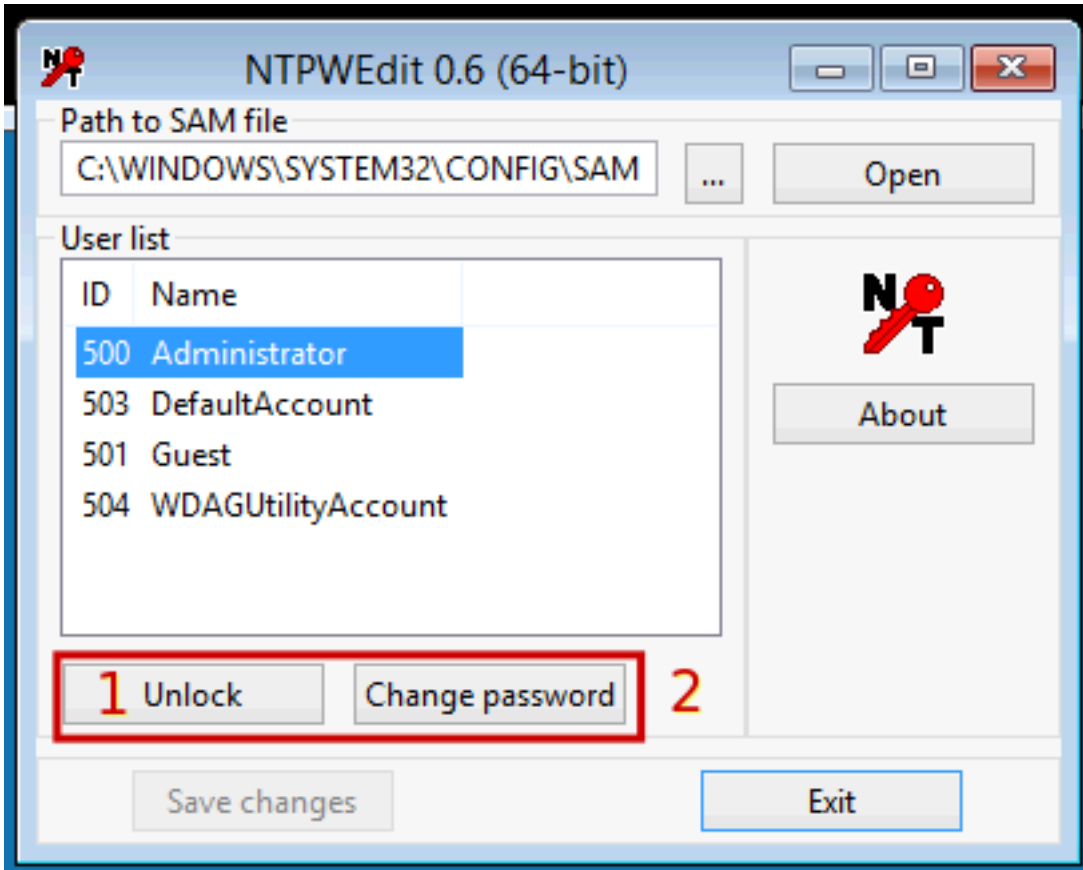
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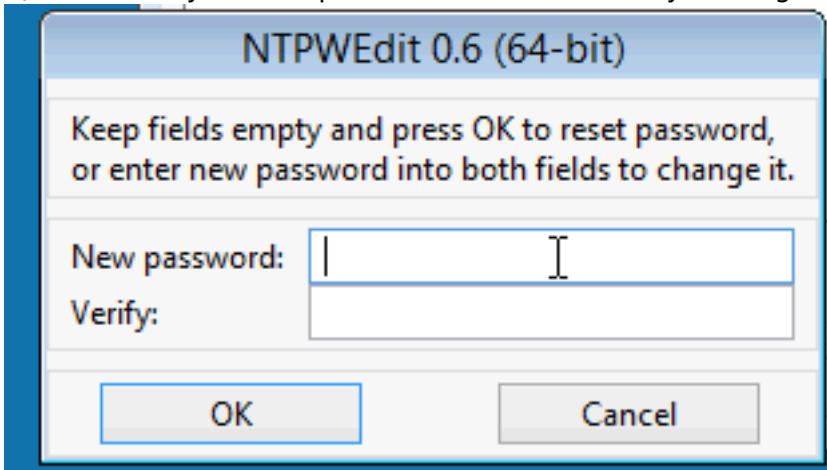
6) Click on the user name (by default "Administrator").

7) Now click on "Unlock" and directly after that on "Change password".

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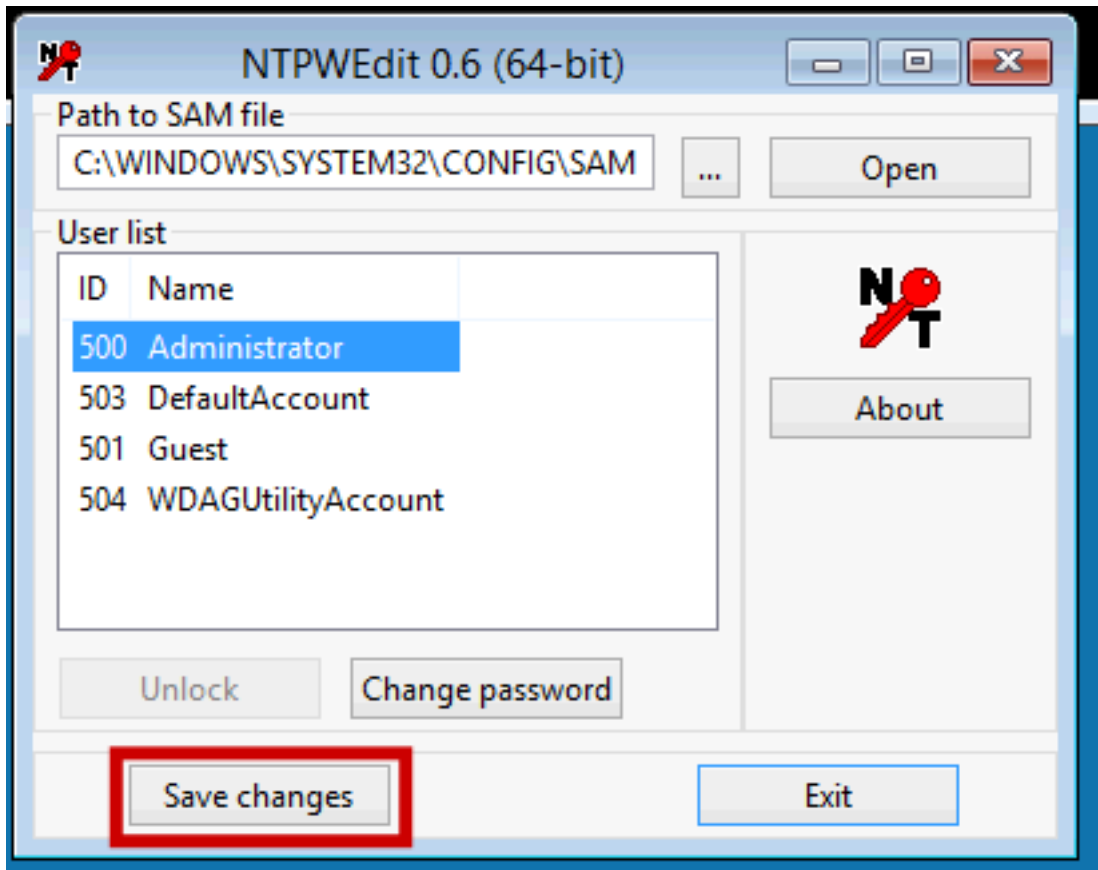


8) Now enter your new password and confirm it by clicking "OK"



9) Now save the changes.

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- 10) Close TightVNC
- 11) Press "Ctrl + C" in the Putty window.
- 12) Switch off the rescue mode in the central customer management (ZKM) again.
- 13) Execute the command "reboot" in Putty.

Now the server will be restarted in normal mode and you can connect to remote desktop with the password specified in step 8).

-----> Root-Server <-----
This part of the FAQ follows, please contact support.

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