VMWare Restore Accounts

Logon accounts are setup in VMWare to provide additional protection to the server. Administrator is the primary account name created in the initial VMWare Initial Setup instructions.

If the Datacenter does anything on the server, the root account is restored and all other accounts are removed from permissions entry. So they have to be restored and root disabled, restoring server access security. Logon with the root account on the VMWare logon screen.



Select Host in the left side options then Actions, Permissions as shown.



Select the Add user option:

Click the left empty box to see the accounts list to add from. Select Administrator.

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Select the right side box for Administrator role.



Click Add user button in the lower right to save the entry. Repeat the process for any other accounts you have for use.

Logout. Then logon again as Administrator. This time is to disable the root account.

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Click on the root account entry which activates the Assign Role menu option.

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Click the Assign Role button to save the change.

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