

## Troubleshooting Exchange Server 2010 Log Truncating Issues

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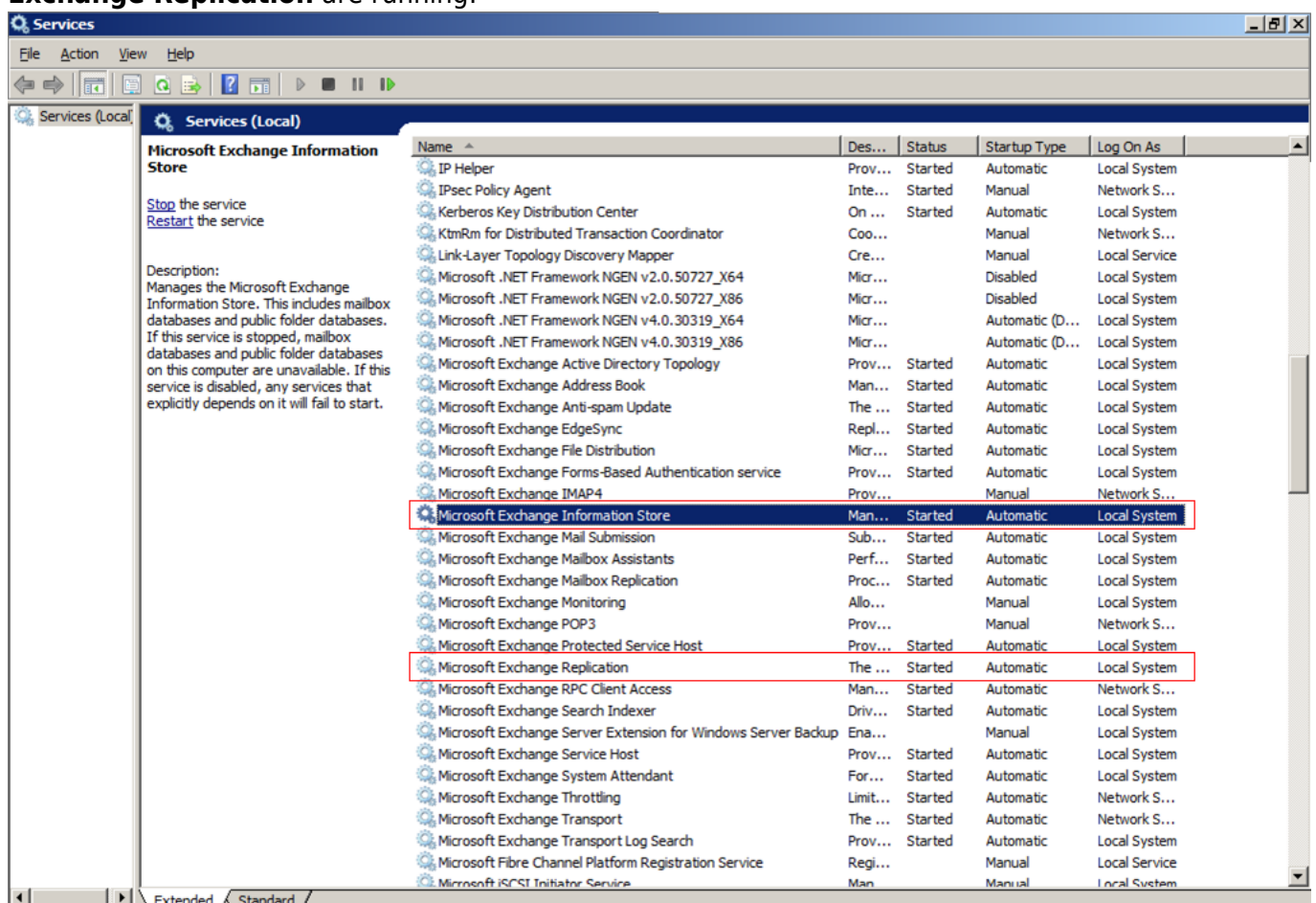
This article refers to the [Barracuda Backup Legacy Release](#) firmware or newer, and [Microsoft Exchange Server 2010](#).

To verify the Microsoft Exchange backup completed successfully and backed up the log files:

- Check Services
- Check the Volume Shadow Copy (VSS) Writers
- Check Application Events

### Check Services

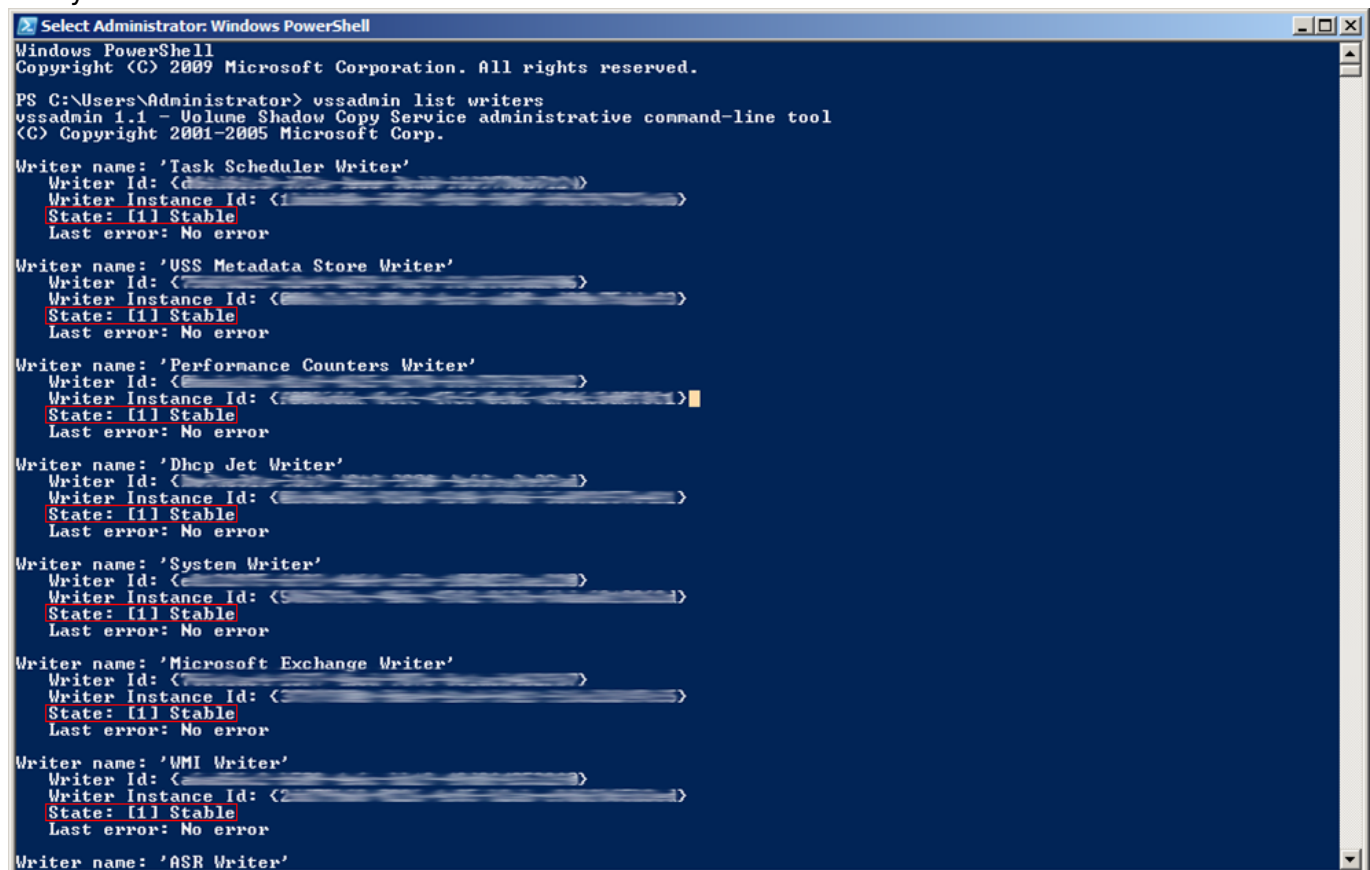
Open **services.msc**, and verify that both **Microsoft Exchange Information Store** and **Microsoft Exchange Replication** are running:



## Check VSS Writers

Microsoft provides a command-line tool to verify the state of the VSS writers. To utilize this tool, open a command prompt on the Windows Server, and enter: `vssadmin list writers`

Verify the state for each writer is **Stable**:



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Select Administrator: Windows PowerShell
Windows PowerShell
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PS C:\Users\Administrator> vssadmin list writers
vssadmin 1.1 - Volume Shadow Copy Service administrative command-line tool
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Writer name: 'Task Scheduler Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <1...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

Writer name: 'VSS Metadata Store Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

Writer name: 'Performance Counters Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

Writer name: 'Dhcp Jet Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

Writer name: 'System Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <5...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

Writer name: 'Microsoft Exchange Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

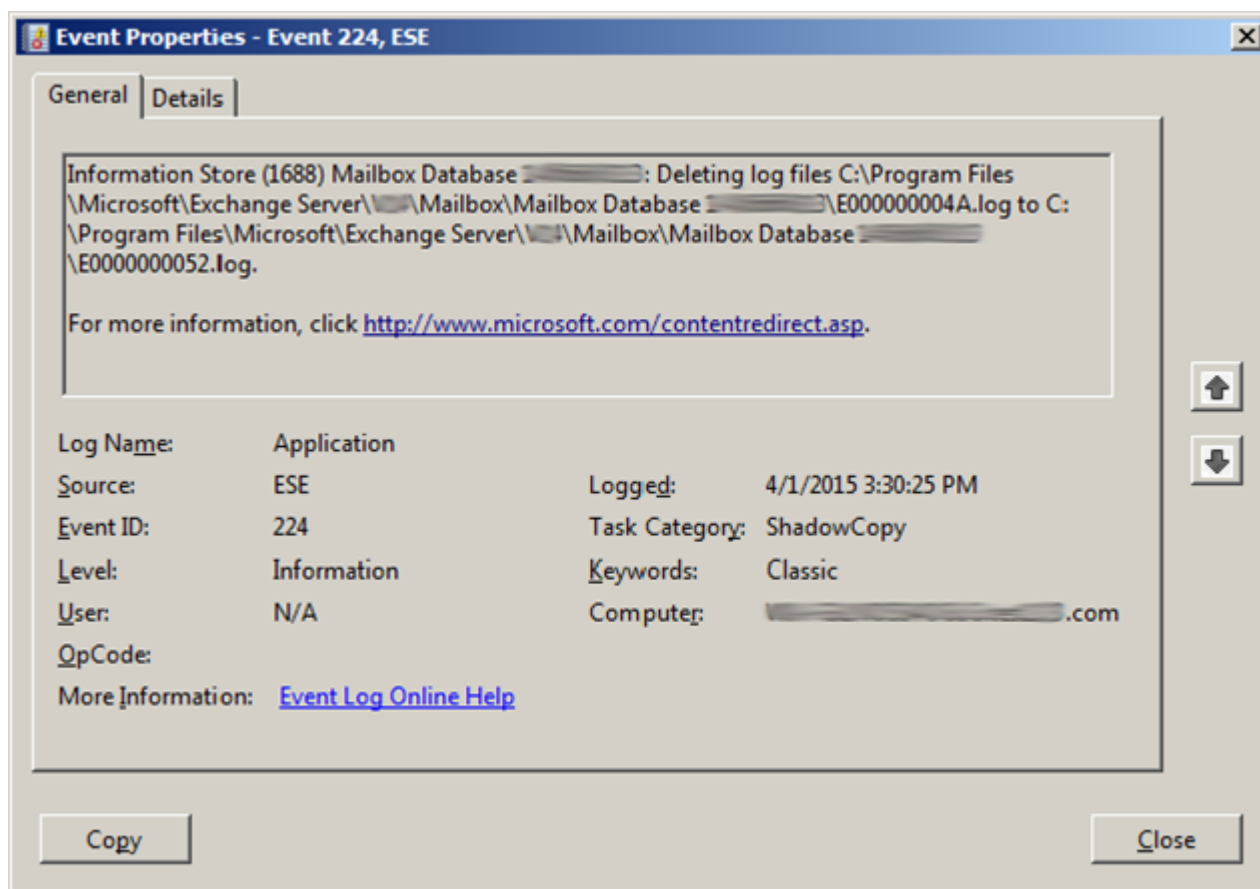
Writer name: 'WMI Writer'
  Writer Id: <...>
  Writer Instance Id: <2...>
  State: [1] Stable
  Last error: No error

Writer name: 'ASR Writer'
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## Check Application Events

Use the following steps to open the **Event Viewer**:

1. Click **Start**, point to **All Programs**, point to **Administrative Tools**, and then click **Event Viewer**.
2. In **Event Viewer**, in the console tree, click **Application**.
3. In the details pane, look for **ESE Event ID: 224**
4. If you find this event, double-click the event to open the **Event Properties**, and then read the description of the event:



## Figures

1. services\_exchg.png
2. vss\_writer\_state.png
3. event\_properties.png

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