

# User Groups

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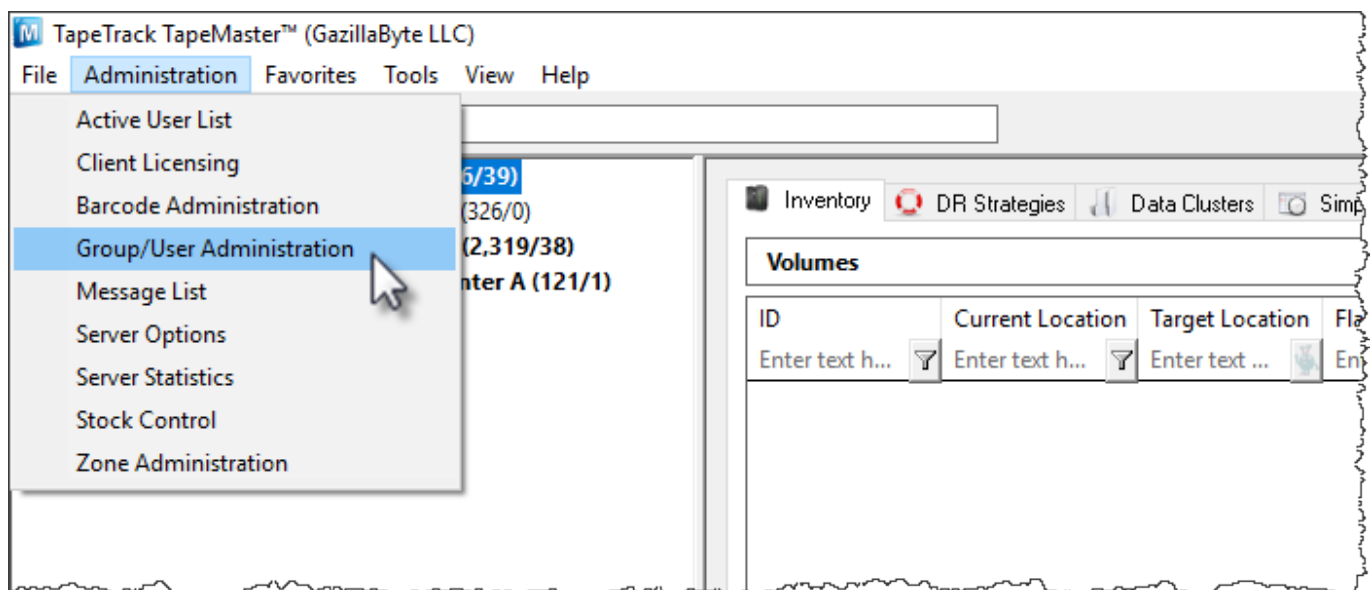
Groups are used to assign access privileges to a collection of users without the need to assign them to each user on an individual basis. This also makes it efficient to manage access changes to the entire group/s without the need to know what users belong to which group.

## Adding and Managing a Group

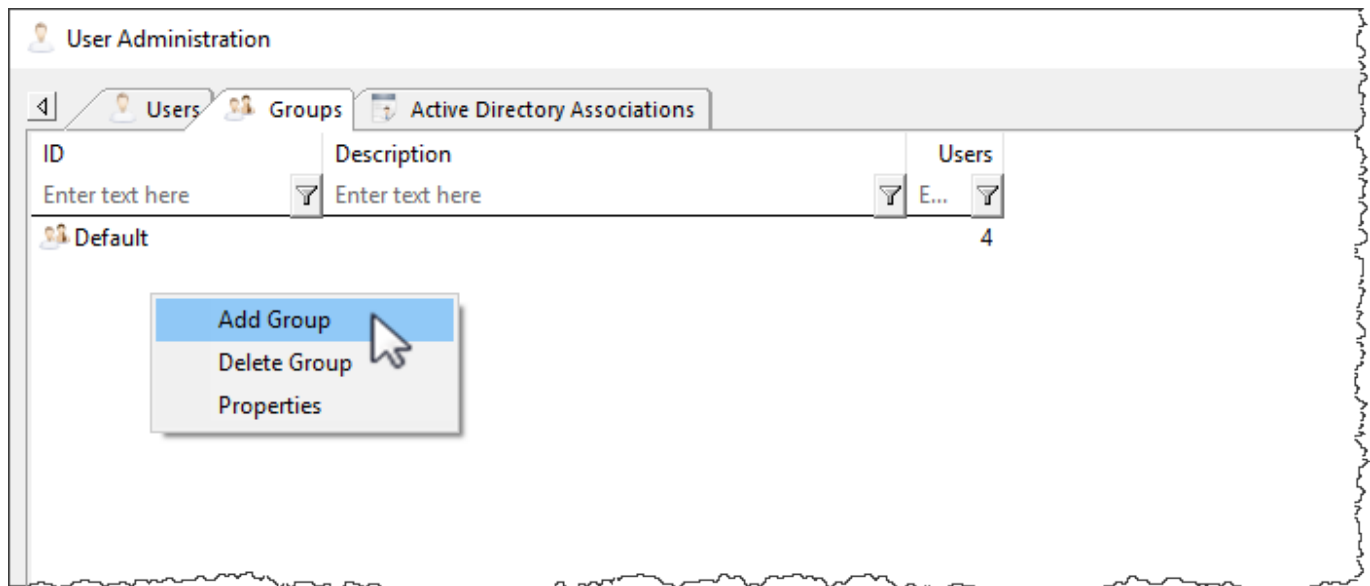


If creating a new group from the [Add a New User](#) window skip to [Edit New Group](#)

On the Administration drop-down menu in TapeTrack TapeMaster select Group/User Administration.



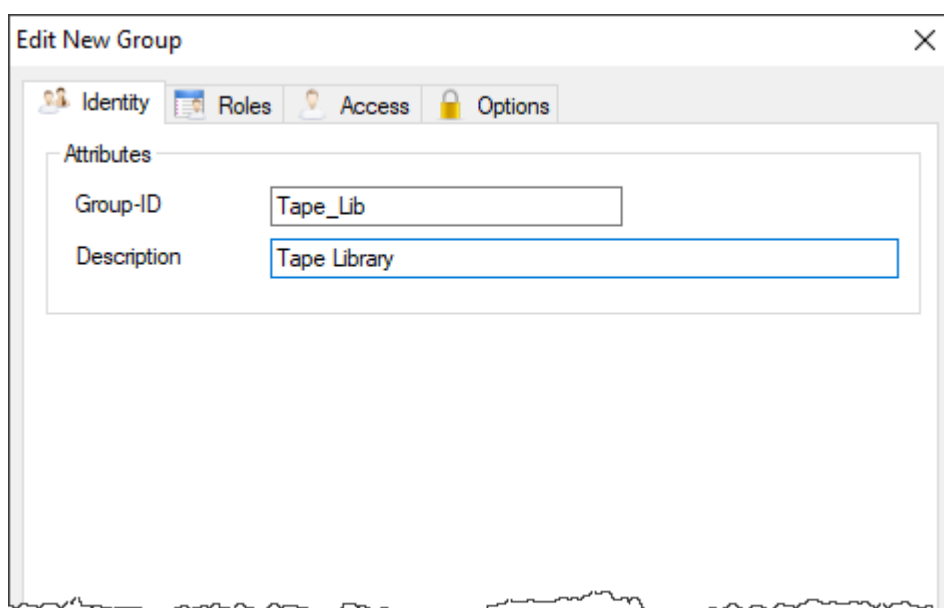
Select the Groups tab and right-click in the main window and select Add Group.



## Edit New Group

### Identity

In the Identity tab enter a unique Group-ID (max 10 alphanumeric characters) and a group description.



The Group-ID must:

- Be alphanumeric characters only
- Have no spaces or special characters
- Be 10 characters or less

### Roles

Set positional role description required (optional) for hierarchy of users within the group. Roles rank

from highest (0) to lowest (7)



Roles do not alter permissions of a User in the TapeMaster product, however, roles can be used in TapeTrack Lite to view Users and modify their information. Users of a lower Role-ID Number (0, 1 or 2) can view and modify Passwords for Users of a higher Role-ID Number using the [User Management](#) Task in [TapeTrack Lite](#).

The screenshot shows the 'Edit New Group' dialog box with the 'Roles' tab selected. The dialog has four tabs: Identity, Roles, Access, and Options. The 'Roles' tab contains a table with two columns: 'Role ID' and 'Role Description'. The table lists roles 0 through 7. Roles 0 and 1 have descriptions 'Supervisor' and 'Librarian' respectively, while roles 2 through 7 are empty. Below the table, a note states: 'You can define up to 8 Roles. Each role should report into the Role above. Roles 0, 1 and 2 will be able to update User profiles that are of a lower level.'

Role ID	Role Description
0	Supervisor
1	Librarian
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	

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## Access

Assign group access by adding required ID/s or ID ranges Customer - ID field and changing to true the types of access needed.

- Read allows any user assigned to the group to read information on the defined Customer-ID.
- Write allows any user assigned to the group to write information on the defined Customer-ID.
- Alter allows any user assigned to the group to add or delete information on the defined Customer-ID.

Edit New Group

Identity

Roles

Access

Options

Customer-ID

US\*

Access

Read

True

Write

True

Alter

True

Add

Customer-ID

Access

US\*

Read,Write,Alter

Access Prediction

Customer

Description

Access

US01

New York Data Center

Read,Write,Alter

US02

Los Angeles Data Center

Read,Write,Alter

US03

North Carolina Data Center A

Read,Write,Alter

Click Add to assign the Customer-ID and access rights. The assigned ID and rights will now be displayed on the right window and predicted access shown below. You can add as many Customer-ID and access rights combinations as required by repeating the above process.

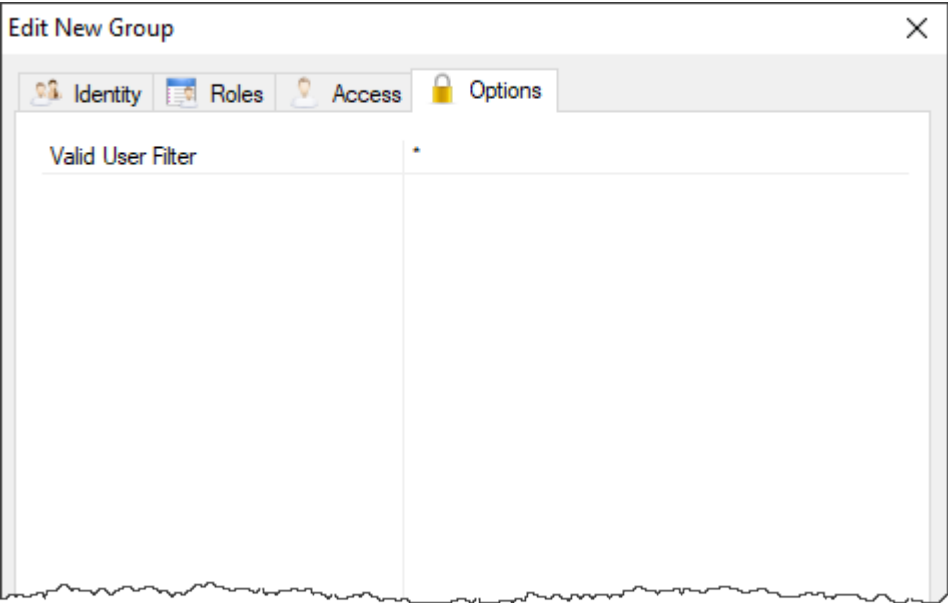
Customer Filter Examples	
*	All customers
US*	All customers starting with US
US??	All four character customers starting with US
US01	Only US01

Options

Set User-ID formats that any user assigned to this group must adhere to. If left as \* any ID format will be accepted.

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User-ID Filter Examples	
*	Any format
LB*	User-ID's must start with LB
*LB	User-ID's must end with LB
LB??????	User-ID's start with LB and be 8 characters long

Click OK to save new group.

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