

## RE: Access 97 runtime on XP

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Hi Peter,

This error is normally the result of the User account not having adequate permissions on the following registry keys:

Hkey\_Local\_Machine\Software\Microsoft\Office\8.0  
HKey\_Classes\_Root  
and/or  
Hkey\_Current\_User\Software\Microsoft\Office\8.0

Try giving the Users group Full Control to the above keys (note: don't inherit parent permissions).

I hope this helps! If you have additional questions on this topic, please respond back to this posting.

Regards,

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"Microsoft Security Announcement: Have you installed the patch for Microsoft Security Bulletin MS03-026? If not Microsoft strongly advises you to review the information at the following link regarding Microsoft Security Bulletin MS03-026  
<[http://www.microsoft.com/security/security\\_bulletins/ms03-026.asp](http://www.microsoft.com/security/security_bulletins/ms03-026.asp)> and/or to visit Windows Update at <<http://windowsupdate.microsoft.com/>> to install the patch. Running the SCAN program from the Windows Update site will help to insure you are current with all security patches, not just MS03-026."

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| I'm trying to run a program which uses the Access 97  
| runtime, and I'm on Windows XP on an NT Domain.

| I get the following error:  
| "Can't be started. was unable to initialize the Windows  
| Registry.  
| Rerun Microsoft Access or Microsoft Office Setup to  
| reinstall."

| The software works OK when I'm logged in as  
| Administrator, but I get the error when I'm only  
| a "normal user."

| I don't particularly want to give Admin or Power User  
| rights to all of my users so that they can run this  
| software.

| Anyone have any idea of the registry keys that need the  
| extra permissions?

| Thanks in advance,  
| Peter