

# w3wp.exe 100% CPU

---

*Source:*

<http://www.tech-archive.net/Archive/DotNet/microsoft.public.dotnet.framework.aspnet/2005-09/msg00841.html>

---

- *From:* "Jacky via DotNetMonster.com" <[forum@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:forum@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* Mon, 05 Sep 2005 01:59:38 GMT
- 

hi everyone,

I'm developing my website with asp with IIS and 2003 server. Today when I did some test after editing my asp script, my browser just took forever to load the page. Then I manually closed my browser and reopen it again for testing. But the same thing happened again after a few more tests, for which it ended up my whole site was not responding. I found out that w3wp.exe process took up 100% CPU usage that's why my whole site is not responding, for which I have to restart my MSSQL server in order to work again.

I've searched around the Internet, and found out the possible cause is my inappropriated asp code, which leads the system runs into an infinite loop.

Now my question is I'm constantly changing my code, doing testing and debugging all the times, so same thing may happen again (infinite loop)! If I don't close my browser manually, and let it run until it times out, will that free up the w3wp.exe and resume the site back to normal? Because I don't want to restart my MSSQL server every time I have this problem cause it will affect my clients at my website.

Please help me on this! Thanks alot!!!

.

---

- *Follow-Ups:*
  - ◆ **[Re: w3wp.exe 100% CPU](#)**
    - ◇ *From:* S. Justin Gengo
  - ◆ **[Re: w3wp.exe 100% CPU](#)**
    - ◇ *From:* David Wang [Msft]
- Prev by Date: **[Resetting an HtmlInputFile Control](#)**
- Next by Date: **[Re: Resetting an HtmlInputFile Control](#)**
- Previous by thread: **[Resetting an HtmlInputFile Control](#)**
- Next by thread: **[Re: w3wp.exe 100% CPU](#)**
- Index(es):
  - ◆ **[Date](#)**
  - ◆ **[Thread](#)**