

# .NET Framework 1.1 Configuration won't launch

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I get the following error when trying to launch the .NET Framework 1.1 Configuration Snap-in:

Snap-in failed to initialize.

Name:.Net Framework 1.1 Configuration

CLSID:{1270E004-F895-42BE-8070-DF90D60CBB75}

Clicking 'OK' on the message box allows the MMC to start, which displays the following message:

Snap-in Creation Failed.

The snap-in is not created, it may not be installed properly.

If I open an MMC console and try to manually add the .NET Framework 1.1 Configuration snap-in, the MMC hangs when I select the snap-in from the list of Available Standalone Snap-ins and click "Add". The MMC must be killed with Task Manager.

I'm running Windows XP SP2. It's a new Dell Optiplex that came preconfigured with .NET Framework 1.1 eight weeks ago, but our domain has a GPO that installs .NET framework 1.1 on client workstations. This resulted in the .NET Framework appearing twice in Add/Remove programs. I couldn't be sure which resulted from the GPO, so I uninstalled one, and had to remove the other entry via the registry. Then I rebooted so the GPO would reinstall the .NET Framework. It shows installed, but will not run. The relevant registry key reports that my .NET 1.1 SP level is SP1. No programs that rely on the .NET framework will run.

Any help appreciated.

Thanks,

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