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- *From:* "zachd [ms]" <[zachd@xx](mailto:zachd@xx)>
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I don't know what you've installed to your system – according to a quick search, GSIM is spyware/an IE hijacker. So I'd remove that regardless.

If you don't know what you've installed and you don't know how to uninstall it, you may want to look under:  
HKEY\_LOCAL\_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\MediaPlayer\UIPlugins  
and see if there's a Geiss entry there. If there is, you should be able to delete the key in question and then start the player.

Or if you start the player with a video file, that might work too.

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"OneScrappyLady" <[OneScrappyLady@xx](mailto:OneScrappyLady@xx)> wrote in message [news:637AD05D-9871-45B3-A02F-10241CF6EEF9@xx](mailto:news:637AD05D-9871-45B3-A02F-10241CF6EEF9@xx)

I don't see anything like that there.... there is something called GSIM....could that be it???

"zachd [ms]" wrote:

Go to the Add/Remove Control Panel – is there a Geiss visualization listed there... ?

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"OneScrappyLady" <OneScrappyLady@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>  
wrote in  
message  
news:A94B5691-A963-44E6-820A-981C321BB30C@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

I'm not sure if I have the Geiss Visualization.....where would  
I look  
to  
find out if I have that???? I can't even get the player to open  
up....when I  
try to open it....several of those little error boxes....all with  
the  
same  
thing in them...pop up.

I think that we might have something going here.....don't  
leave me  
hanging....help me out!!!!!!

"zachd [ms]" wrote:

Clearly you should have mentioned that you  
installed the third party  
Geiss  
visualization, right? ;-)

Uninstall or unregister that and you should  
be good.

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wrote in  
message  
news:A28DCFD8-78A5-4928-9C2C-A98B6DF5C162@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

I can't seem to open my  
WMP. It worked a few days

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ago, but now I get  
this  
message when I try to open  
it...

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Microsoft Visual C++  
Runtime Library

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Assertion failed!

Program: ...rogram  
Files\Windows Media  
Player\wmplayer.exe  
File: .\geiss.cpp  
Line: 509

Expression: hdc == NULL

For information on how  
your program can cause an  
assertion  
failure, see the Visual C++  
documentation on asserts

(Press Retry to debug the  
application – JIT must be  
enabled)

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Abort Retry Ignore

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Can anyone off any help!!!!