

## Re: Mybot etc

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> *skodaman wrote:*

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>> *Appear to have W32Mybot/Spybot. Other strange symptoms: any time I try*

>> *to download anti-virus prog the windows (not Win2k) all close. Have*

>> *Norton AV and FW installed but something is disabling them. Mem*

>> *quickly goes to 100% mostly in several versions of SVCHOST but also*

>> *seems to start Linux.exe. Any chance of salvaging my disk – any way of*

>> *running a prog without it being closed down. Sorry if very niaive*

>> *questions, thanks.*

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Safe mode may bypass the startup of the worm. Spybot probably has antivirus killing, or someone has added that feature via the backdoor.

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