

Re: %systemroot%\system32

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You can't use variables such as %systemroot% in searching, but you can use them in the address bar in Windows explorer. Type %systemroot%\system there, press Enter, and the folder will open. You'll also see its actual name in the address bar.

"System" and "System32" are two different folders with two different functions. The contents of %systemroot%\system tend to be compatibility components. There's nothing related to the registry there, so I don't know why you'd need to find that folder in order to repair your registry.

carlos_2006 <carlos_stone@xxxxxxx> wrote:

Trying to locate %systemroot%\system on Windows 2000 Pro. When i use search the answer is %systemroot%\system is not a valid folder. I can find C:\WINNT\System32 but don't know if this is the same folder. I'm trying to find it to repair my registry. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

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