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I don't have any anti-spyware running. Do you think I should? What would you recommend & how much is it?!

Also, if NAV is responsible, what's the answer?

Thanks.

Geoff.

"Ken Blake" <kblake@this.is.an.invalid.domain> wrote in message news:OY\$byZ5CFHA.2032@tk2msftngp13.phx.gbl...

> Geoff A. wrote:

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>> *My PC has this dual personality complex. Sometimes from startup*

>> *everything is fine, running at normal speed. But other times it*

>> *appears to be on a go-slow, where everything takes ages to load up*

>> *and do stuff. The split is 50 / 50.*

>> *Any ideas as why this is happening, and what can be done?*

>> *(Not a virus! And no error messages. Running Norton systemworks 2005,*

>> *so everything in tip-top condition!)*

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> *If you are running the full suite of Norton Systemworks, not only is*

> *everything *not* in tiptop condition, but that in itself is likely to be*

> *responsible for at least part of your slowdown.*

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> *I would turn off everything but Norton Anti-Virus (others will undoubtedly*

> *advise you even to get rid of NAV, and replace it with a different*

> *anti-virus product).*

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> *Also, do you run *several* (one isn't enough) anti-spyware products, such*

> *as Spybot Search and Destroy, Ad-aware, Spyware Blaster?*

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> *Ken Blake - Microsoft MVP Windows: Shell/User*

> *Please reply to the newsgroup*

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