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- *From:* "Rainy" <rainy@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
 - *Date:* Tue, 27 Jun 2006 08:08:25 -0500
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My computer is running great.. yes from time to time..I have a problem and through the help of nice people like yourself..and the net, I am able to resolve them... I don't know if you noticed but some of my posts are for my friend and for my son... not all are about my computer! thanks for the response.. Rainy

"DL" <dl@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:%23vsifDemGHA.3468@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Reading this, and your other numerous posts it would appear that you have, not to push the point, been fiddling with your sys in areas that you should'nt, resulting in a poorly running / configured sys.

Your best way forward might be to backup data and clean install, or use recovery disks to put the pc back to factory settings

"Rainy" <rainy@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:u2TXdzRmGHA.508@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

What about media player? I have always had problems with my media player freezing, and playing one note.. like it's stuck on it.. .. I am currently using 10 .. is there a way to go back to an older version.. one older than what I can roll back to.. or is there a place I can download an older one, one with less goodies.. that might be causing the problem.. if not I will

do

as you suggested.. thanks Rainy

"Brian A." <gonefish'n@afarawaylake> wrote in message news:eRPnQKNmGHA.4436@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

At a quick thought if you don't find any other hardware resources conflicting with

it, the files are corrupt, the chipsets or something else inside the box

is

going

south. It's another high probability that another Sound app isn't playing nice and

keeps yanking the rug out from under SoundMax.

I would:

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Uninstall everything related to SoundMax.
Boot to Safe Mode > Device Manager and remove any/all devices related to SoundMax.
Remove any/all SoundMax leftovers in Explore.
Delete everything in C:\Documents and Settings\You user name folder\Local Settings\Temp.
Delete everything in C:\Windows\Prefetch
Hunt down and remove everything leftover in the registry related to SoundMax, of course not without exporting the Key/Hive first in case something goes

awry.

Reboot and reinstall SoundMax.

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Brian A. Sesko { MS MVP_Shell/User }
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<http://basconotw.mvps.org/>

Suggested posting do's/don'ts: <http://www.dts-l.org/goodpost.htm>
How to ask a question: <http://support.microsoft.com/kb/555375>

"Rainy" <rainy@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
[news:%23Mad\\$8ImGHA.1896@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:%23Mad$8ImGHA.1896@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

is it possible that it needs to start with windows.. I Might have removed

it thinking that it didn't need to... I got sound after that, so I thought i

was right.. but it doesn't stick around long.. also mute is not checked...

Rainy
"Rainy" <rainy@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:OpKKOImGHA.4064@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Yes sir I did... In device manager... under the sound, video and game controllers... it has Audio Codecs, Legacy Audio Drivers, Legacy Video Capture Devices, Media Control Devices, SoundMAX Integrated Digital

Audio,

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Standard Game Port and Video Codecs.. My sound is Sound Max, a part of the motherboard.. and my motherboard is.? I went to the Manufacturer of the Motherboard,
<http://support.asus.com/download/download.aspx?SLanguage=en-us>
I saved it in my favorites just in case I needed it again.. thanks for responding.. .wish I knew what was causing this.. thanks Rainy

"Brian A." <gonefish'n@afarawaylake> wrote in message
<news:OSONTLImGHA.4992@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
If as you say that you have onboard/integrated sound/video chipset,

then

you need
to get the appropriate sound/video chipset drivers from the motherboard manufacturer.
Although many times the drivers from the distributor of the software/firmware may/will work, it's always advisable to get the firmware/drivers from

the

motherboard manufacturer because manufacturers alter the firmware/drivers to their specs for the chipsets.

Everest Home Edition(Free):
<http://www.majorgeeks.com/downloads9.html>

<http://basconotw.mvps.org/dwnlds.htm>

Create a new folder named Everest and extract the contents of the download to that folder.
Open the folder and double-click everest.exe to run the application.

Next:
Click the + next to Computer.
Click Summary.
Right click in the right pane and in the popup menu click "Copy All".
Start a response in this thread.
Right click in the text window and in the popup menu click "Paste".
Send the response.

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"Rainy" <rainy@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:uZz2xCImGHA.4808@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Thanks for responding.. ...I installed the sound driver.. I
don't know

what

a chipset is.. sorry Rainy

"DL" <dl@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message

<news:uIWdSwHmGHA.4268@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Motherboard driver?; was this the sound driver or chipset

and did you

download from mobo site?

"Rainy" <rainy@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
<news:efoEaKHmGHA.3880@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>

Hi, I keep losing my sound..don't realize it
and when I do, I reboot

and

it's back, just like magic. :) I recently
downloaded the latest

motherboard

driver. My sound is onboard.. Analog

Devices is the manufacture for

sound

max... let me know if you need any other

information.. thanks Rainy

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