

## Re: FOLDERS VIEW FORGOTTEN – TRIED EVERYTHING!!!!

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Anando,

thanks for following-up on this. I did exactly what Kelly writes, and yet nothing happened... F.Y.I, I also tried what David suggested, which seems to be somewhat more "radical" in cleaning up the registry, but nothing changed either.

I find astonishing it is so complicated to solve such an (apparently) simple issue. Why the default limit has been set to 400 views in the first place? People use computers for everything these days. It is only a matter of time before each one of us hit the 400 remembered view limit.

Regards, Paolo.

>-----Original Message-----

>Hi,

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>Here is the procedure as stated by the creator of the edit, MVP Kelly herself:

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>Windows remembers 400 folder settings. When that number is reached some settings aren't retained any longer. You can

>change this to 8000 by adding this edit to the registry.

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>Run this edit, then reset your preferred folder options:

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>Increase Folder View Options Limit: (Line 2)

>[http://www.kellys-korner-xp.com/xp\\_tweaks.htm](http://www.kellys-korner-xp.com/xp_tweaks.htm)

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>To use the Regedit: Save the REG File to your hard disk. Double click it and answer yes to the import

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prompt. REG files

>can be viewed in Notepad by right clicking on the file  
and selecting Edit.

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>Anando

>Microsoft MVP– Windows Shell/User

><http://www.microsoft.com/mvp>

><http://www.mvps.org>

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>Folder customizations

><http://newdelhi.sancharnet.in/minku>

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>Protect your PC!

><http://www.microsoft.com/protect>

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><anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message  
news:a10a01c4871d\$587747b0\$a501280a@phx.gbl...

>> Anando,

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>> yes, I tried Kelly's registry tweak. It didn't work...

>> Unless there is a "tricky" procedure to follow after

>> running Kelly's tweak, I don't know what else I can do.

>> After applying the tweak I restarted Windows and tried  
to

>> change Windows Explorer size to full screen and view  
from

>> icon to list. No results, after I close and reopen it,  
it

>> is back to the same size and to icon view.

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>> I guess I'll read carefully David post and try what he

is

>> suggesting.

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>> This is soooooooooo frustrating.

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>> Paolo.

>>>-----Original Message-----

>>>Hi,

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>>>Did you try MVP Kelly's comprehensive website with  
Tweaks

>> and edits ? You may want to download and apply the  
following

>>>edit:

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>>> [http://www.kellys-korner-xp.com/xp\\_tweaks.htm](http://www.kellys-korner-xp.com/xp_tweaks.htm)  
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>>> *Thereafter, reset the folder views and set the view of  
the  
>> folders according to your needs.*  
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>>> *Anando*  
>>> *Microsoft MVP – Windows Shell/User*  
>>> <http://www.microsoft.com/mvp>  
>>> <http://www.mvps.org>  
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>>> *Folder customizations*  
>>> <http://newdelhi.sancharnet.in/minku>  
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>>> *Protect your PC!*  
>>> <http://www.microsoft.com/protect>  
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>>> *"Paolo" <anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in  
>> message news:9e0d01c486c1\$097c55d0\$a401280a@phx.gbl...*  
>>>> *Hello all,*  
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>>>> *I recently run into the issue with  
Windows "forgetting"  
>>>> the view setting for my folders. I searched for  
hours the  
>>>> internet on this and tried all the solution suggested  
>>>> with no success.  
>>>> I also tried the remedy suggested by Microsoft in  
their  
>>>> Knowledge Base Article 813711, but to no avail.  
>>>> I tried also to entirely delete the subkeys BagMRU  
and  
>>>> Bags as suggest by posting found on various  
newsgroup,  
>>>> and yet no success.  
>>>> I feel like I want to scream... The only changes the  
>>>> folders seems to remember are when I reset  
everything to  
>>>> the default, letting Windows decide how to show files  
>>>> (Thumbnail, filmstrip, details, etc.) or when I make  
>>>> changes to one folder and click on "Apply to all  
Folders".  
>>>> The "Remember each folder's view setting" box is of  
>>>> course checked in "Folder Options/View".  
>>>> Has anyone a fix for this? I don't know what else to  
try  
>>>> if even Microsoft's fix doesn't work.....*

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>>>> *Thanks, Paolo.*

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