

RE: Blue Screen Error

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Adjusting the automatic disk check timeout period

When Windows restarts following some types of unplanned shutdown or after a disk modification, Windows performs an automatic disk check on the system hard drives to ensure data consistency. Prior to each volume being checked, the system displays a message allowing the user to skip the disk check by pressing a key. This message is shown for ten seconds per volume. This tweak allows you to eliminate, reduce or extend the time-out period accordingly.

To adjust the automatic disk check timeout period:

Use a registry editing tool to navigate to the following key:

HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\Session Manager

Insert a value with the following details:

Data Type: DWORD

Value Name: AutoChkTimeOut

Value: 0 (zero) to disable the timeout completely

1 to 60 – the number of seconds you wish the timeout displayed

Reboot your machine for the change to take effect

Please note: All numeric values are shown in decimal notation.

"anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com" wrote:

> *I'm getting the following blue screen error. Windows*
> *secure timeout. The specified I/O*
> *on /device/harddisk/dr3 was not completed before the*
> *timeout period.*
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> *I have no idea what the problem may be and was curious if*
> *anyone if familiar with this error Any help is*
> *appreciated.*
> *Sincerely,*
> *Luke*

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