

Changing Program Process Priority Defaults

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This is not a direct answer to your question about changing the program priority. The Freeware program ThreadMaster

<http://threadmaster.tripod.com/>

allows you to set the maximum percentage of CPU time any program will use. It will work on WinXP. It runs as a service.

It was distributed to limit the CPU time that the SETI (Search for Extra Terrestrial Intelligence)uses when running in the background. Edit the Seti.reg file that is included within notepad, add the necessary programs from the Processes list (Virus Scanner)listed in Windows Task Manager. The install program installs to the directory Windows32\Tweakmaster

The default is to limit any program not on the exceptions list to 80% of total CPU time.

Arne

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

>My kids love playing a Disney Lama Game. However whenever this application

>starts it hogs all the processing recourses. In Task Manager its prioity is

>defaulted to "High" rather than normal. The issue is that this kills the

>sharing and email server on the machine. I can manually reset the priority to

>Normal if I can catch them playing it. Can I set the register to

>automatically force the default to normal priority?

>Help - as always - much appreciated.

>Cheers.

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