

## Re: Need New CD

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That's correct and under such circumstances I agree. My OP and I know you weren't responding to me, Ken, was based on the wide variety of such CDs and installations but I probably should have been more specific. Nonetheless, the suggestion to which I was responding was overly broad and should have made the points you made in your post.

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Windows Shell/User
Backup is a PC User's Best Friend
DTS-L.Org: http://www.dts-l.org/
"Ken Blake" <kblake@this.is.an.invalid.domain> wrote in message
news:%233HWmk63EHA.4092@TK2MSFTNGP14.phx.gbl...
> In news:eRzKR6x3EHA.3820@TK2MSFTNGP11.phx.gbl,
> Pop <nobody@spamcop.net> typed:
>
>> Good suggestion: Then, after he's activated it, your "friend"
>> won't be able to get HIS system to ever be recognized again by
>> the MS Update, etc. features. Go for it! It'll only run on one
>> machine, so if your friend feels generous, go for it!
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>
> Sorry, that's not at all correct. Sure is looking only for installation
> media. A copy of his friend's installation CD is fine, and it is *not*
> true that it will run on only one machine. The CD itself is not unique;
> it's the Product Key, needed for activation, that is.
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> As long as his friend's CD is the same type (Retail vs Generic OEM and
> Full vs Upgrade) and Sure uses his own Product Key, not his friend's, this
> suggestion *is* a good one.
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> --
> Ken Blake - Microsoft MVP Windows: Shell/User
> Please reply to the newsgroup
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>> "DUH" <nospam@BAM.com> wrote in message
>> news:QKqud.151864$6w6.108295@tornado.tampabay.rr.com...
>>| Find a friend with XP Pro and have them burn you a copy.
>>|
>>| <Sure@is.bad> wrote in message
>>| news:413kr0prtboundlrbionmv6b4qevqd0tol8@4ax.com...
>>| My XP PRO CD will not install XP now - it gives several read errors.
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>>| What is easiest way to get a new copy? Download? Phone MSoft?  
>>| Anyone have an 800 #?  
>>|  
>>| TX  
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