

Re: Repair XP SP2 installation with XP SP1 CD-ROM

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Steve N. wrote:

Jupiter Jones [MVP] wrote:

Steve;

We simply have different standards on what is successful in this matter. You will accept the leftover components, I would not.

It's not so much that I accept the leftover components, but that I don't see them causing any problems. I'd also prefer they weren't there and I am still trying to figure out how to remove them. For example I have removed what registry entries I can referring to Security Center but the Icon still persists in Control Panel, still non-functional, of course.

Windows File Protection and other indicators are great but I do not like starting with the SP-2 left over regardless.

I understand. Niether do I, but for all intents an purposes the system is functioning exactly as a healthy SP1 OS as far as I can tell.

Obviously there is no guarantee of any installation

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but I would suspect an installation that had anomalies especially an uninstallation that left obvious components.

I'm not saying your suspicions are unfounded, that is why I am testing it, I am just reporting that everything is working fine. I am looking for some utilities to give more concise listings of active system files and active processes. Everest Home is very good but it's difficult to get it to display all of these things in a concise report. Plus not having another