

# Re: Constant Registry Corruption

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Make sure that your system is clean. Scan your system with latest virus definitioned antivirus, Spybot, search and destroy, CWS shredder as well as with adaware. Run all the latest versions in safe mode.

see also:-

How to troubleshoot by using the System Configuration utility in Windows XP  
<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;en-us;310560>

regards,  
ssg MS-MVP

Al wrote:

I know how to fix the registry, that isnt what I asked. I asked if there is a way to stop it from breaking...or if there is an explanation for it happening every 3 weeks.

regards  
Alex

"S.Sengupta" wrote:

'How to recover from a corrupted registry that prevents Windows XP from starting'  
<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;en-us;q307545>

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Al wrote:

Hey all, I am having a problem where every 3 weeks or so my registry gets corrupted...I know how to fix this generally, but once I have replaced the registry files I get corruptions in the system32\driver folder as well...if I keep replacing these files eventually I just get the 'blue screen of death' anyway so it's pointless. Does anyone know why the registry keeps breaking?

I dont know if it helps but, I am running McAfee Security Center, and that is nearly always the first program that goes..the icon turns black (meaning it's disabled) and then I know the wave of nonsense is coming. The pc freezes, and I get files missing messages upon restarting.

Is there anything I can do to protect against this more efficiently? For example a program which can automatically fix the registry if it gets threatened, or ideally stop them from being threatened in the first place.

Thanks a lot for any help or advice.  
Alex